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## NEW GOVERNOR FOR COLONY SIR A. CALDECOTT FOR CEYLON

### Sir Geoffrey Northcote To Take Post in Hongkong

The Colony will learn with surprise of the appointment of His Excellency Sir Andrew Caldecott, Kt., C.M.G., C.B.E., Governor of Hongkong, as Governor of Ceylon, in succession to Sir Edward Stubbs, G.C.M.G., who himself was a former Governor of Hongkong.

It is further announced that Sir Geoffrey Alexander Stafford Northcote, Governor of British Guiana, is to become the new Governor of Hongkong.

On enquiry at Government House this morning, it was learned that His Excellency will be leaving Hongkong on April 16 for Home leave, and will reach Ceylon about the middle of October to assume the Governorship there.

The news was contained in *Reuter* and *United Press* messages from London this morning, it being intimated that Sir Edward Stubbs is retiring from the Governorship of Ceylon next September.

Sir Andrew Caldecott has been Governor of Hongkong for little more than a year, having arrived here to take up his post on December 12, 1935. During his Governorship, Sir Andrew has won immense popularity amongst all sections of the community, both by reason of his marked administrative ability and also because of his charm of personality. Hongkong will deeply regret his transfer, whilst at the same time congratulating him on his promotion. The Governorship of Ceylon, to which he has been appointed, is considered the "plum" of the Colonial Governorships. It carries a salary of £8,000 per annum, compared with £7,000 for the Governorship of Hongkong. Not only will Hongkong deplore the pending departure of Sir Andrew, but there will also be widespread regret felt at saying good-bye to Lady Caldecott, who has taken the deepest interest in Colony affairs during her residence in the Colony.

#### New Governor

Hongkong's new Governor, Sir Geoffrey Alexander Stafford Northcote, who is 44 years of age, has been Governor of British Guiana since 1934. He is a son of the Rev. Canon Hail. Arthur Francis Northcote, fourth son of the 1st Earl of Iddesleigh. He is married, his wife being formerly Miss Edith Juliet Mary Adams. There are three sons by the marriage.

Sir Geoffrey was educated at Blundell's School and Balliol College, Oxford, where he secured his B.A. degree with honours and was Newton and Hulse Exhibitioner. His Colonial service began in May, 1904, when he was appointed Assistant Collector, East African Protectorate. From 1904 to 1906, he was acting Collector and acting District Commissioner, South Kafirland, whilst in the latter year also served as Political Officer, Kisumu. He was a member of the Sleeping Sickness Commission during 1908-09, and in the latter year was again District Commissioner.

#### Other Posts

He was in charge of Kikuyu Province in 1911, and acting Provincial Commissioner from May to October, 1919. From then until July, 1920, he was acting Assistant Colonial Secretary, became Assistant Colonial Secretary in 1921, during which year and for several periods until 1923 he was acting Colonial Secretary.

During July and August, 1923, Sir Geoffrey was Governor's Deputy, being a member of the Legislative Council and was again acting Colonial Secretary in 1925 and 1926. In February, 1927, he was appointed Chief Secretary of Rhodesia, with a seat on the Executive and Legislative Councils, and in 1930 was appointed Colonial Secretary of the Gold Coast, being acting Governor on several occasions until 1932. He remained at the Gold Coast until appointed Governor of British Guiana in 1934.

#### Sir Andrew's Career

Sir Andrew Caldecott, who was born in October, 1884, is a son of the late Rev. Andrew Caldecott, whose death occurred recently. He was educated at Uppingham and at Exeter College, Oxford, and was appointed a Cadet in the Federated Malay States in 1907. The whole of his Colonial career has been spent in the Malayan Civil Service, in which he has held numerous posts.

After serving as District Officer at Johore, he was appointed Controller of Labour in 1918, and in 1919 became Second Assistant Secretary to the Federal Secretariat. Whilst on leave in England, he was seconded (Continued on Page 7.)

### INDIANS VOTING TO-DAY

#### PROVINCIAL POLLS OPEN FIRST TIME ELECTION TO TAKE MONTHS

New Delhi, Jan. 19.  
Voting for new legislative assemblies, in such provinces as the Government of India Act provides, begins to-day.

Altogether 30,000,000 men and women are entitled to vote. The inhabitants of Assam, Bengal and the Punjab, with a total population of 90,000,000, will be the first to go to the polls. They will be followed by the electors in other provinces over the next five weeks, the last province to vote being Madras, on February 20.

Once the provincial legislatures are duly elected, the process of determining the composition of the provincial councils or upper chambers, will be begun. These should be completed by April 1.

Many members of the Legislative Assembly are seeking election to the provincial assemblies, and as, under the new Act, they cannot be members both of the central and provincial assemblies, it seems most probable that for the present session many of the well-known figures will disappear from the Delhi political stage.—*Reuter*.

### NEW COLONIAL APPOINTMENTS

London, Jan. 18.  
H. M. the King has appointed Mr. Henry Bradshaw Popham, Administrator of Dominica, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Windward Islands, succeeding Sir Grier, shortly retiring.  
His Majesty has also approved the appointment of Mr. John Hathorn Hall, Chief Secretary of Palestine, to be British Resident for the Zanzibar Protectorate, succeeding Sir R. Bankine, shortly retiring.—*Wireless*.

### SLAYER'S IDENTITY SECURED FINGER-PRINTS GIVE CLUE

Los Angeles, Jan. 18.  
The identity of the murderer in the case of little Charles Mattson, beaten to death by a kidnapper, is known to the police, it is claimed.

It was established by a comparison of finger-prints found at Tacoma, Washington, and near the scene of the crime, according to officials.

G-men have been mobilised to search the neighbourhood where it is believed the wanted man is hiding.—*Reuter Bulletin Service*.

### FORTY CONVICTS AT LARGE

#### AFTER PRISON RIOT IN CANADA HUNTED INTO HILLS

Quebec, Jan. 18.  
Following a riot at the Ontario Reformatory, 150 prisoners have escaped and caused property damage estimated at £40,000. Practically all of the 700 men at the prison were involved.

Trouble began when a number of men refused to eat their supper, and developed quickly. Some of the prisoners, wielding pieces of smashed iron bedsteads for weapons, forced officials into the administrative building and for a time completely controlled the prison.

In a sort of frenzy they ran about smashing windows, fusing lights and doing whatever destruction they were able. Others, apparently, opened the prison gates and walked out into the surrounding hills. Most of them have been recaptured, but there are still nearly 40 at liberty, being hunted by armed officers over a wide area.

The destruction in the prison mainly affected the chapel, the hospital and the kitchens. Police eventually succeeded in restoring order at the gaol.—*Reuter*.

### 40-HOUR WEEK ON RAILWAYS

#### WILL REABSORB 40,000 FRENCH WORKERS

Paris, Jan. 18.  
M. Leon Blum, the Prime Minister, to-day signed the Bill applying the 40-hour week to railways, which will be enforced on May 1.  
It is expected that the measure will result in the reabsorption of 40,000 unemployed men.—*Reuter*.

### PROMOTED TO CEYLON



A recent photograph of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Caldecott, who will be leaving Hongkong when the former takes up the position of Governor of Ceylon, to which he has been promoted.

## Thousands To See Roosevelt Inauguration

Washington, Jan. 18.

In depressing and rainy weather the first thousand of the 300,000 who are expected at Wednesday's inauguration ceremonies, arrived here to-day. They are cheerfully paying the swollen prices for accommodation at leading hotels, where there is a minimum charge of \$10 a night for a single room.

Arrangements have been made to accommodate 50,000 spectators in the great Capital Plaza, from where they can watch President F. D. Roosevelt take the oath and deliver his second inaugural address. In his speech he is expected to specify his objectives for the next four years. His words will be broadcast to all the world.

The President's reviewing stand, outside the White House, is a replica of Andrew Jackson's horse-drawn box, from where President Roosevelt will take the salute as thousands of troops, marines and naval ratings march past. Their parade will take three full hours.—*Reuter*.

#### HINTS AT REFORMS

Washington, Jan. 18.  
Following conference with the White House, Senator Sherman Minton quoted President Roosevelt as saying to-day that he would soon call for discussion of legislation affecting the Supreme Court of America, which, by its interpretation of the Constitution, "so greatly" hampered the New Deal programme.

Senator Minton said he was not at liberty at present to discuss the exact nature of the legislation. He suggested that it should provide for at least a two-thirds concurrence of opinion before a judgment could be handed down. He carefully stressed, however, that he had not discussed this suggestion with the President.

Meanwhile, the Supreme Court went into recess, apparently still deadlocked over the controversial social legislation and without taking action on any of the pending major cases.—*United Press*.

#### WIDER POWERS

Washington, Jan. 18.  
The House of Representatives' Coinage Committee has favourably reported on the Administration's Bill extending the President's powers to devalue the dollar and continue the operation of the Stabilization Fund until June 30, 1939. Action by the House is expected during the current week.—*United Press*.

#### FOURTH CRASH VICTIM

Los Angeles, Jan. 18.  
Mr. Earl Spencer, fourth of the victims of the Salt Lake City-Los Angeles air transport's crash, died to-day.—*United Press*.

### CHECKS JEWISH INFLUX

#### S. AFRICA FEARS INVASION FROM SOUTH EUROPE

Capetown, Jan. 18.  
After the Prime Minister, General James Hertzog, had warned legislators that the unchecked increase in Jewish immigration to South Africa was likely to cause serious ill-feeling, and even bloodshed, the Aliens' Bill was given second reading, 83 to 28, to-day.

The measure was prompted to some extent by the prevailing bitterness over the increasing influx of Jews, and mainly because of warnings from South African ministers abroad, who indicate the Union is endangered by a flood of undesirable elements from south-east European sections, in consequence of the uncertain conditions there.—*Reuter*.

The Aliens' Bill is merely protective in character and is not aimed at Jews alone, and therefore does not imply their persecution. It merely safeguards the Union of South Africa from the curse of a high percentage of illiterate immigrants pouring into its labour market.

#### POPE RESTS WELL

Vatican City, Jan. 18.  
His Holiness the Pope spent a good night and his condition remains unchanged.—*Reuter Bulletin Service*.

## WAR'S COSTS MOUNTING

### Quarter Million Feared Casualties in Spain HALF NATION'S RICHES GONE IN BLAZE OF CONFLICT

London, Jan. 18.

The smashing advance of the Rightist army under General Del Lano, in the south, which has covered approximately 25 miles towards Malaga in the past four days, constitutes the rebels' most important success in over two months.

But although he has passed Marbella and his troops have said a mass in its main square, General Del Lano has still 28 miles to advance before he comes to the outskirts of Malaga. While Government resistance thus far has been unusually ineffective, it will be no easy task to conquer the seaport at which he aims if the loyal lines stiffen.

Meanwhile, General Francisco Franco's statements indicate the probable slackening of attempts to capture Madrid by means of a frontal assault. Instead, he will likely make an effort to extend his lines around the capital. The investment of the city will be a lengthy process, it is thought.

### FRENCH WARSHIP BOMBED

#### BY UNIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT TEN BOMBS MISS MARK

Paris, Jan. 18.

A French torpedobomb destroyer was bombed in the Mediterranean by a plane of unknown nationality, according to authoritative circles. Six bombs were dropped without any of them taking effect, it is added.—*Reuter*.

The *United Press* adds that the Quil d'Orsay confirms the report of an unidentified plane bombing the destroyer *Mallie-Breze*, but this source says ten bombs were dropped. All missed their mark.

The warship continued to Toulon.

#### SUSPICIOUS OF RUSSIA

Berlin, Jan. 18.  
The German reply to the Anglo-French note on non-intervention, will agree in principle with the proposal to ban volunteering for the Spanish civil war, according to well-informed political circles.

One spokesman declared that while Germany would be pleased to see the liquidation of the civil war in Spain, she could not close her eyes to the attempts to form Soviet colonies in that country.

Germany fully shared the Italian views on this point, it was stressed.—*Reuter Bulletin Service*.

### STOP PRESS

Melbourne, Jan. 18.  
Australia has made three changes for the fourth Test match against England which starts at Adelaide on January 29.

E. L. McCormick, A. G. Chipperfield and Ross Gregory, the last named being one of Victoria's leading batsmen, displace W. A. Ward, M. W. Stevers and L. Darling. The team, which is again captained by Don Bradman, is as follows:—D. G. Bradman, W. A. Brown, J. H. Fingleton, S. J. McCabe, E. L. McCormick, W. J. O'Reilly, L. Fleetwood-Smith, K. Rigg, A. G. Chipperfield, W. A. Oldfield, and Ross Gregory.—*Reuter*.

Berlin and Rome continue to delay their replies to the Franco-British appeal for a decision respecting non-intervention, and thousands of foreign volunteers continue to pour into Spain. It is reliably stated that during the past few days at least 4,000 have landed to join the insurgents and 2,000 have crossed the French frontier to assist the Leftists.

#### Enormous Casualties

Neutral observers in Paris estimate that the first six months of the Spanish war have cost the republic at least 250,000 casualties, plus half the national wealth. It is estimated the lost national income from labour, commerce and farming averages about 1,000,000,000 pesetas weekly.

At least 1,200 Frenchmen, and the same number of Russians, Germans and Italians are estimated to have perished on the battlefields.

At the end of 25 weeks of fighting the insurgents claim full or partial control of 32 provinces, plus Spanish Morocco, the Balearic and Canary Islands.

Loyalists claim full control of 18 provinces, the island of Minorca, a foothold on the Bay of Biscay, and a mountainous strip normally belonging to the Northern Basques.

Observers estimate that 90 per cent. of General Franco's original North African army have been killed or wounded, and that the siege of Madrid has cost both sides 100,000 killed and wounded.—*United Press*.

#### Another Estimate

London, Jan. 18.  
Over 40,000 foreigners are at present fighting for the Spanish Government and roughly 32,000 for General Franco, according to the latest estimates compiled here.

It is believed Russians in Spain do not exceed 1,000 and that almost all of them are technicians. The precise number of French volunteers is unknown, but it is reported to be as high as 20,000. The remainder of foreigners on the Government side are of various European nationalities, including disident Germans, Italians and probably 1,000 British.

The bulk of the Government's foreign volunteers are without military training, but General Franco's foreign contingent, allegedly 12,000 Germans and 20,000 Italians, are mostly trained.—*Reuter*.

#### TO SEE SON CROWNED

London, Jan. 18.  
Queen Mary will attend the Coronation ceremony at Westminster Abbey and will thus be the first Queen Mother in English history to see her son crowned.—*Reuter Bulletin Service*.



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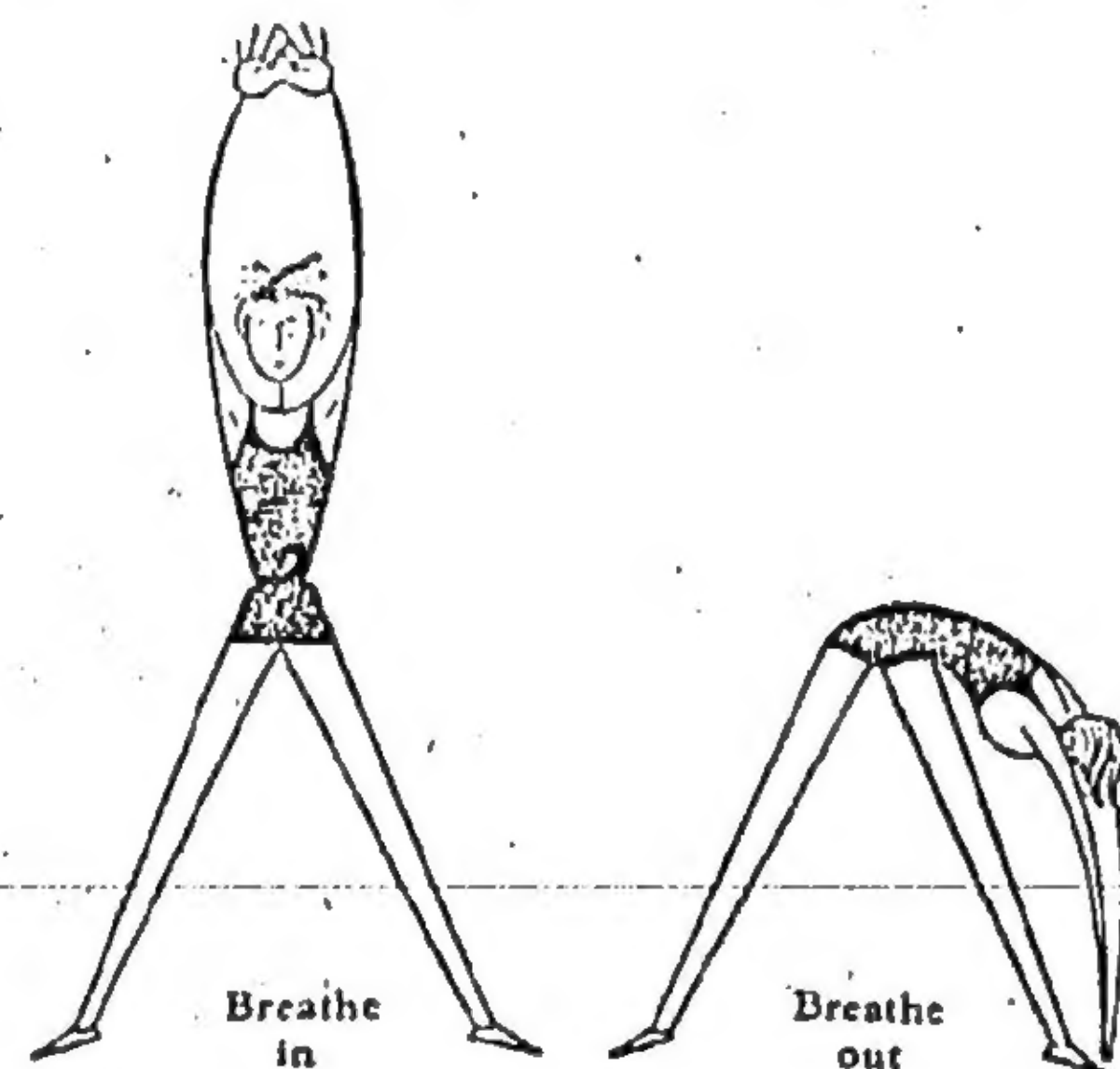
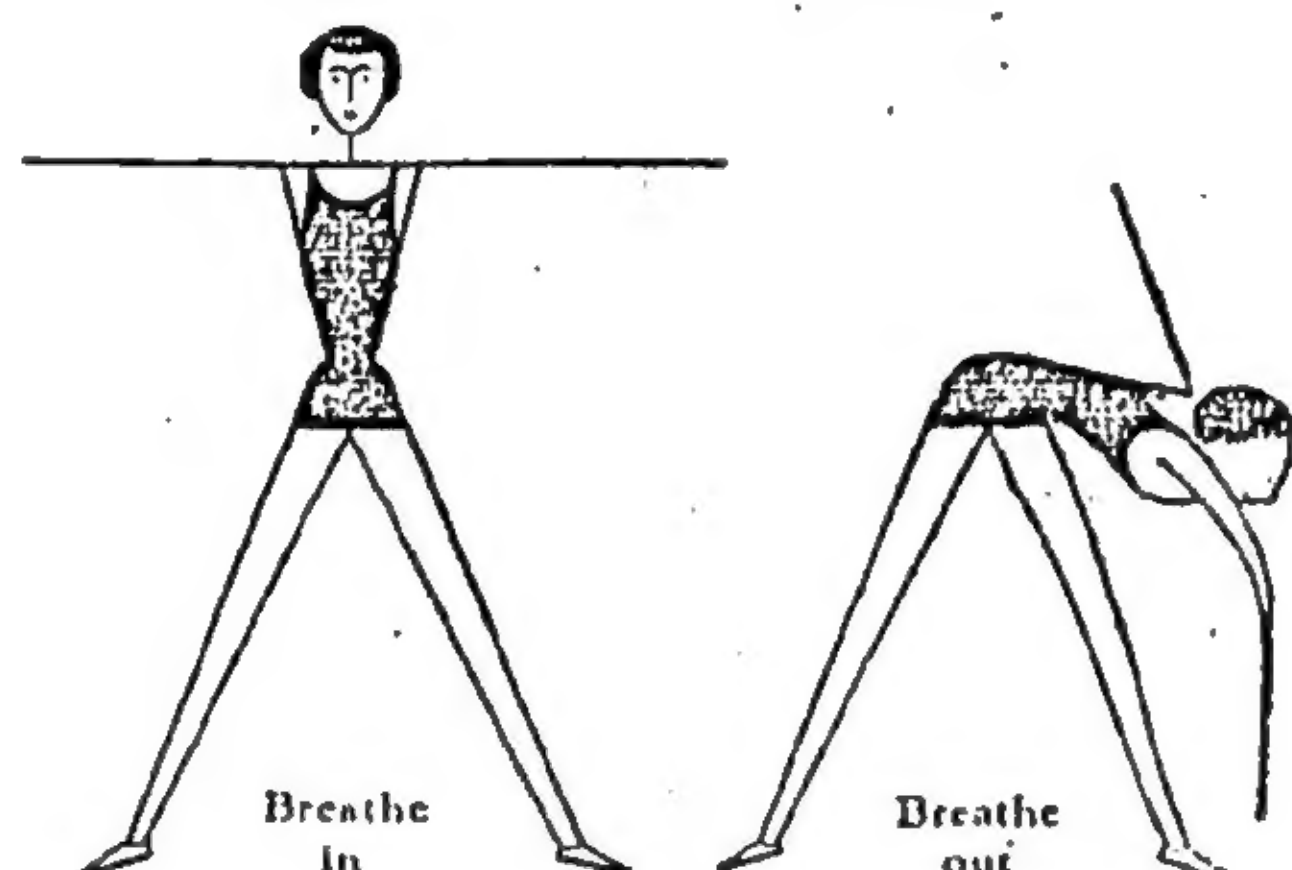
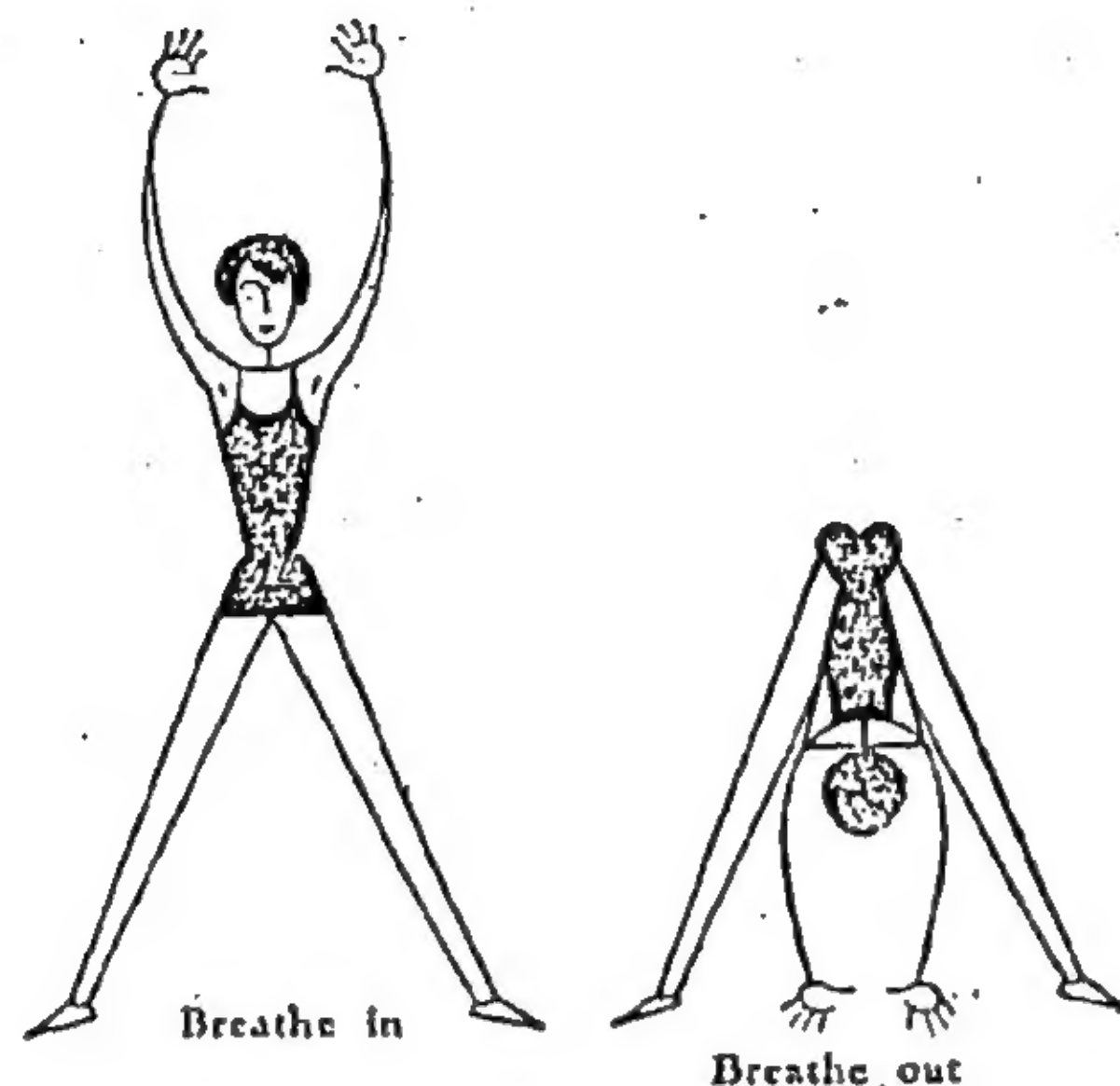
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Do each exercise 10 times (six or eight for the first days) and not so fast that you get out of breath.

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- 2 Feet apart, arms stretched straight out to the side, touch in turn your right foot with your left hand and your left foot with your right hand. Don't bend your knees, stretch your body as much as possible.
- 3 Feet apart, and arms stretched straight up, touch each foot in turn with both hands. Don't bend your knees—stretch your back.

## Brighten up your home with fish

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**THEY** died young, those poor fish of our nursery days—anaemic gold fellows making sad, fishy faces while they gorged on ants' eggs and served a life sentence in narrow glass bowls.

But fish farming to-day, once you know a thing or two, is no trouble at all. In a properly kept aquarium even the water does not need changing. The fish and the plants and the light all maintain a friendly balance of life on their own.

Remember that fish prefer the shady side of life. Place your aquarium so that they see light but not the sun. A window facing north is the very thing. Their food comes in tins all ready for serving, costs from 6d. to 9d.

Though all fish are cold-blooded, those from the tropics need an electric heater thermostatically controlled. This involves extra expense, but you can have a more cosmopolitan gathering—Guppy, Paradise fish, Sailfins, and Zebra fish.

Cold-water fish, on the other hand, should have at least a gallon of water to every inch of fish. Four goldfish, therefore, measuring one and a half inches (this is not a problem sum) would need six gallons of water.

There are many aquariums to choose from. You can have a modest glass affair ranging, according to size, from a few cents to a few dollars.

Then there are elegant apartments with fittings of stainless steel, chromium, burnished copper, bronze or enamel to harmonise with your own particular colour scheme. For these you can pay anything up to \$50.

Fishes are smart for furnishing in America. They'll be decorative wherever you put them here, too.

Before fishes move into their glass house it should be properly furnished and planted out for several days. First comes a layer of aquarium compost for the base of the tank. A five-pound bag costs a few cents! Over this goes coarse aquarium sand, specially sterilised and filtered.

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Shape into small balls, roll them in flour and cook them for ten minutes in boiling soup.

## Sweet Dumplings

**I** AM told these are Chinese. Cream two tablespoonfuls of lard with a breakfastful of sugar, add half a pound of freshly grated coconut and a quarter of a pound of chopped almonds. Now mix in half a pound of finely mashed potato and a pound of flour, and make the mixture into small balls and fry them brown in hot fat.

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Your flower is the geranium, and your lucky number is 9.

## DON'T BELIEVE IT!

—says the Doctor.

**HEARSAY**, not knowledge, is the basis of many everyday "facts," says Dr. August A. Thomen, lecturer in medicine at New York University. To-day he demolishes the popular fallacies.

That it is sensible to expose children to so-called children's diseases (measles, whooping-cough, chicken-pox, and so on), on the assumption that they will get them anyway.

The notion is wholly fallacious, because (1) a mild case may give rise to a serious one; (2) it is not quite true that all should have these ailments at some period of their existence; (3) the seriousness of such ailments is greater; the younger the child; (4) one attack does not necessarily afford protection from a second; and (5) the liability to attack lessens with age.

It should be kept in mind that even when children survive the attacks of these diseases there is always the great danger that some permanent defect may remain, for example, impaired kidneys, or chronic heart disease.

As a result of an attack of scarlet fever at the age of 18 months, Helen Keller was deprived of her senses of sight, hearing and smell.

That reading light must, to be most effective, come from over the left shoulder.

It has been shown by experiment that it does not matter from where the light comes, provided that no shadows are cast upon the page, and that the rays from the light do not enter the eye. The light should be at least 20 degrees away from the direct line of sight, and should be so placed to avoid direct reflections from glossy pages.

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Research in England has determined a ruling that the weakest light suitable for reading or other close work is eight foot-candles. This means the amount of light that would fall upon a page one foot away from eight standard candles closely grouped.

This is equivalent to the amount of light obtained from a 100-watt unshaded electric lamp, placed two feet from the page. Even more light would still be beneficial, but less light invariably results in a strain of the ageing apparatus, producing a tired feeling of the eyes and sleepiness.

That only so-called weak-willed people can be hypnotised, and that the hypnotist uses great powers of mind and will.

Hypnotism is popularly considered to be a mysterious psychological process by which certain persons possess marvellous powers over the minds and wills of others. It is also incorrectly thought that a new source of energy is transferred to the hypnotised subject from the strong personality of the operator, and that this new strength of mind and body enables him to overcome obstacles ordinarily insurmountable.

Another popular notion is that one can be cured of a habit by being hypnotised and given opposing suggestions. And there are many others.

As a matter of fact, there is nothing mysterious about hypnotism. It is merely a form of artificial sleep. Anyone could hypnotise if he learned a few simple principles. And anyone can be hypnotised provided he knows how to co-operate with the hypnotist.

Dr. James J. Walsh, the eminent psychologist, tells us that hypnotism is "merely a state of mental absorption in which all distracting thoughts are for the moment warded off, and only such thoughts as are suggested by the hypnotist reach the consciousness of the patient."

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# TRAIN TRAGEDY

## NEARLY EIGHTY NOW REPORTED DEAD

In a statement given to the Press yesterday, Major R. D. Walker, Manager of the British Section of the Kowloon-Canton Railway, traced the incidents which led up to and followed the burning of the express train on Saturday afternoon. From evidence which has been collected by railway officials, it appears that arson may have been the cause of the fire, which apparently broke out in at least two carriages almost simultaneously. The origin of the fire is indicated by the fact that there were two large packages of celluloid bangles put on to the train in separate coaches when it left Shum Shu.

The death toll, said Mr. Walker, was known now to number at least 77, while a further 35 were injured. Only about a minute elapsed between the time the outbreak occurred and the time when the train was brought to a standstill. While a message conveying news of the disaster and asking for help was sent off within 14 minutes. Within a few minutes of the train being halted, the three burning coaches were isolated from the rest of the train.

An inquiry will probably be held, said Mr. Walker, in Canton. Nothing has been officially informed, and it is possible that an official will be sent from there to conduct the inquiry.

## Popular Indignation

Canton, Jan. 18. Seventy-nine dismembered and charred bodies of disaster victims lay in the open fields in front of Fongbin Hospital, awaiting identification today.

They presented a terrible spectacle. Most of the bodies are almost impossible of identification. Touching and tragic scenes were witnessed as relatives attempted vainly to identify the bodies. Wives were waiting for lost husbands, and mothers searching for missing children.

The disaster has aroused widespread indignation among the public, who are inclined to blame the railway administration for the mishap.

A statement issued to the press by the Secretary General of the Provincial Party Headquarters condemns the loss of life and goes on to say: "The fire is certainly a record in the annals of railway disasters."

The statement goes on to blame the administration and to declare: "It is deplorable that so little consideration has been given to the safety of the passengers. Compensation should be provided for the victims."

The total casualties are officially stated to be 79 killed, 28 injured. Of that number 74 were burned to death and five died as the result of leaping from the train.—Reuter.

# HONGKONG ART CLUB

## EXHIBITION TO BE HELD AT END OF APRIL

At the annual general meeting of the Hongkong Art Club, held in the Helena May Institute yesterday evening, it was decided to hold the Club's usual exhibition towards the end of April. The question of alterations in rules to meet present conditions was referred to the in-coming committee.

A warm vote of thanks for her work during the past year was accorded to Mrs. R. T. Barrett, the retiring Hon. Secretary, who resigned owing to reasons of health.

The committee elected was as follows: Mrs. C. B. Brown, Hon. Secretary; Mrs. Gubbay, Hon. Treasurer; and Mrs. M. O. Foster, Mrs. Mills, Miss Buckwell, Dr. Bolan, Mr. N. H. Ho, Mr. C. Arnold, and Mr. C. H. Bond.

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Hongkong, 16th January, 1937.

# SEIZURE OF OPIUM

## SAMPAK MAN PROTESTS IGNORANCE OF CARGO

The hearing of the harbour opium seizure case was continued before Mr. E. H. Hingworth at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court yesterday, when the first of the three men charged gave evidence in his defence.

Though his name was given as Chan Sze-mui, 45, sampak master, he declared yesterday that his name was Kwok Yau, and that he was only a sampak fook. Chan Sze-mui was the name of his mistress, who was the licensee of the boat. He had taken her name to save her trouble.

The other two defendants were Lai Tai-ke, 42, and Fung Tin, 40, both fooks. They were represented by Mr. C. S. Hugh Jones, while Mr. Hing-shing Lo appeared for the first defendant.

Inspector K. W. Andrew, assisted by Det.-Sgt. Hughes, conducted the prosecution.

Explaining how the boxes containing opium had come into his possession, first defendant said that on December 31, he and his companions had been fishing near Kai Tak, when a couple hailed them and asked them to take two boxes to West Point. He said he would wait for them there.

When about half way across the harbour, the police arrived in a motor boat, and coming alongside bumped the sampak with sufficient force to dislodge one of the boxes and project it into the sea. The sampak had been moving when the police came, but made no attempt to escape. Neither did any of them throw a box into the sea. The boxes had been attached to ropes so that they could be hauled out of the water if they happened to fall overboard.

In cross-examination, defendant said that in his mistress's absence, he was in charge, as he was on that day. He received a monthly wage of \$5, and the other two were paid \$2. Mr. Lo stated that the real Chan Sze-mui had been found, but she had refused to come to Court.

## D'ASIS EXHIBITION

An exhibition of photographic portraits is being held in the Jacobean Room of the Hongkong Hotel by Mr. Salvador D'Asis, the well-known local professional photographer, and will continue tomorrow.

Admission is free but if it were not the exhibition would well repay a visit as it comprises upwards of 30 large portraits of well-known personalities posed and executed in very attractive style. Among them are Sir Robert Ho Tung, the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo and some of our leading social beauties.

The close-ups are in D'Asis' distinctive manner, with skilful blendings of light and shade, while special attention has been paid to pose to get the best out of the subjects. There are some full-face, semi-profiles and profiles, and one or two are full length figures.

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# Coronation

## Stamps

# HONGKONG WILL BE INCLUDED

London, Jan. 18. Arrangements have been approved by the King for a special Coronation issue of stamps, to consist of three denominations in one common design, in each of the Colonial Dependencies. Similar arrangements also being made for Newfoundland. The issues will be on sale from December 12 to 31. It is not anticipated that the new permanent Colonial issues will be ready before the end of the year.

The stamps will be of the same shape and size as the Silver Jubilee issue and will be printed in single colours by the recess process. The design of the stamps includes a portrait of the King and Queen in a setting of Coronation emblems, including crown, orb, sword of state and sceptre. The date of the Coronation is inscribed at the top of the design, and the issuing territory appears at the base, with duty labels in the lower corners.—British Wireless.

# NO CONSCRIPTION IN PEACE TIME

London, Jan. 18. The War Secretary, Mr. Duff Cooper, speaking on recruiting in London to-day, said he hoped shortly to make an important announcement concerning conditions of service in the regular army.

Recruiting for the territorial army had improved, but for the regular army it was not so good, and he hoped announcement would have the result of bringing a satisfactory increase.

He denied reports attributing to him the suggestion of conscription in peace time.

"Conscription would not solve our problem. We do not want a vast army for home service but a small, highly trained, specialised army for peace time service overseas."

In the event of war there was little doubt but that conscription would come and come quickly, but not even the most patient citizen of the state would accept conscription for service overseas in peace time.—British Wireless.

# SURVEY PARTY MISSING

London, Jan. 18. The Discovery Committee announces that the Commanding Officer of the Royal Research Ship Discovery Two has reported a survey party consisting of six officers and men, which was landed in King George Island, South Shetlands, is missing.

While there is some ground for apprehension the Commanding Officer still hopes to find the party in an extensive search, in which H.M.S. Ajax and whaling vessels are assisting. Discovery Two is carrying out whaling research work.—British Wireless.

# THE KING AND QUEEN

## TO SEE THE GRAND NATIONAL

London, Jan. 18. The King and Queen, accompanied by Queen Mary, the Princess Royal and Lord Harewood, drove from Sandringham to Newmarket to-day and visited the Jockey Club and inspected race horses, which are stabled at Egerton House. It is understood Their Majesties hope to see the Grand National at Aintree on March 18.

The King and Queen will visit the British Industries Fair at Olympia twice, on February 16 and 18.—British Wireless.

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T.T. Australia	10 1/2
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4 m/s. D/P. do	1/3 3/4
4 m/s. L/C. U.S.A.	31
4 m/s. France	67 1/2
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U.S. Cross rate in London	4.91

# THE CORONATION

## QUEEN MARY WILL ATTEND ABBEY CEREMONY

London, Jan. 18. It is authoritatively stated that Queen Mary will attend the Coronation of King George and Queen Elizabeth on May 12.

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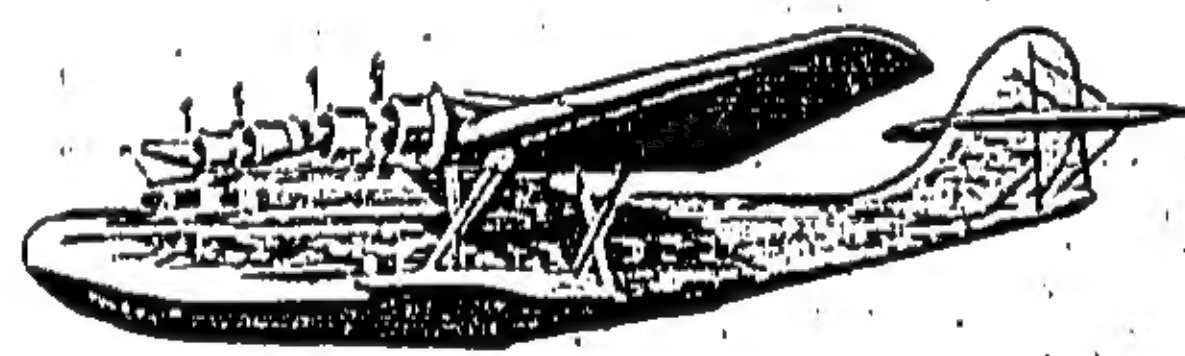
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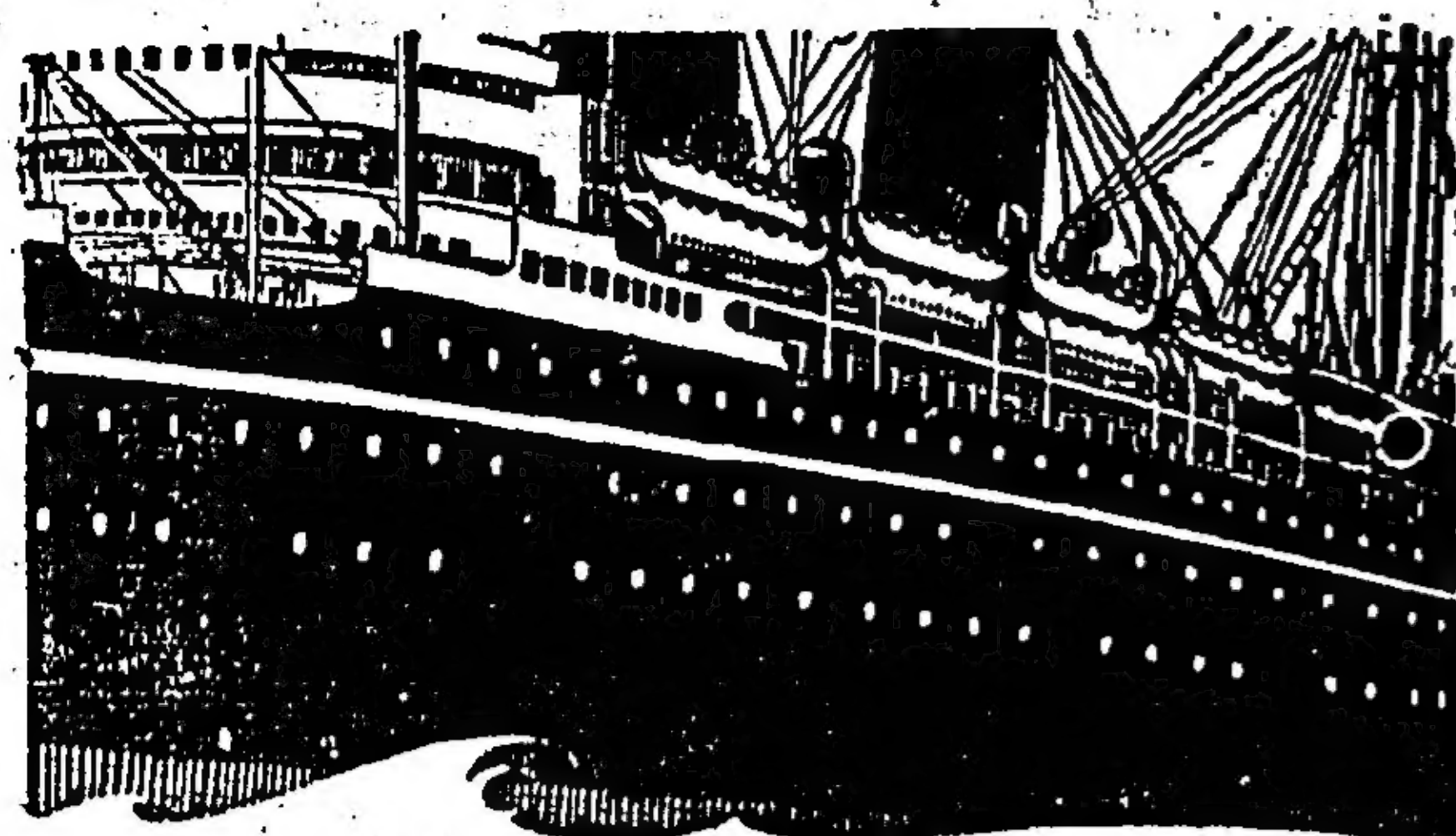
## INWARD MAILS

Siberia	
Saigon	January 19.
Straits	January 19.
Ala Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 9th January.	R.M.A. Dorado January 19.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 24th December and London Parcels—London date, 17th December.	
Shanghai and Swatow	Corfu January 20.
Calcutta and Straits	Kwangtung January 20.
Java	Shiraha January 20.
Japan	Tjisandane January 21.
Australia and Manila	Bokuyo Maru January 21.
Japan	Kamo Maru January 21.
Japan	Montevideo Maru January 21.
Straits	Shiraha January 22.
Japan	Shiraha January 22.
Japan and Shanghai	Ranpura January 22.
Straits	Bontoe January 25.
Straits	Pyrrhus January 25.
Japan	Tokushima Maru January 25.
Manila	Victoria January 25.
Shanghai	Jean Laborde January 25.
Shanghai	Menestheus January 26.
Manila	Pleasantville January 26.
Straits	Van Heutz January 26.
Japan	Anyo Maru January 27.
Japan	Mayebashi Maru January 27.
Japan	Nellore January 28.
Shanghai	Potsdam January 28.
Amoy	Sirdham January 28.
Japan and Shanghai	Frederick Maru January 28.
Shanghai	Tyndarus January 28.
Shanghai	Bangalore January 29.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 9th January)	Emp. of Japan January 29.
Shanghai	Eurus January 29.

## OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Tuesday		
Air Mail for Canton and Districts	C.N.A.C. plane	Tues., Jan. 19
	G.P.O. and K.P.O.	Reg., Jan. 19, Noon
	Letters	Jan. 19, 12.30 p.m.
Shanghai and *Europe via Siberia	Aramis	Tues., Jan. 19, 1.30 p.m.
Swatow, *Amoy and Foochow	Halyang	Tues., Jan. 19, 2 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Tues., Jan. 19, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, *Canada and *Europe via San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Tues., Jan. 19
	Reg.	Jan. 19, 5.00 p.m.
(Due San Francisco 12th February)	Letters	Jan. 19, 5.30 p.m.
Air Mail for Swatow, Amoy, Foochow and North China (via Shanghai)	C.N.A.C. plane	Tues., Jan. 19
	Shengwan P.O.	Reg., Jan. 19, 5 p.m.
	Letters	Jan. 19, 7 p.m.
Kowloon P.O.		
Reg.		Jan. 19, 5 p.m.
Letters		Jan. 19, 5.30 p.m.





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RAWALPINDI	17,000	6th Feb.	Marseilles & London.
*MIRZAPUR	7,000	9th Feb.	Bombay & Karachi.
CORFU	14,500	20th Feb.	Marseilles & London.
*BHUTAN	6,000	27th Feb.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
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TALMA	10,000	27th Mar.	

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TANDA	7,000	5th Mar.	Melbourne & Hobart.
NANKIN	7,000	3rd Apr.	

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CORFU	14,000	21st Jan.	Shanghai & Japan.
*BHUTAN	6,000	23rd Jan.	Shanghai & Japan.
*BEHAR	9,000	1st Feb.	Shanghai & Japan.
TANDA	7,000	3rd Feb.	Shanghai & Japan.
TILAWA	10,000	4th Feb.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.
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### NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

MARKET HIGHER YESTERDAY

New York, Jan. 18. S. C. & F. Dow Jones summary of yesterday's markets: The market to-day was irregular. The automobile strike situation has again unnerved the market, off-setting the rising price of steel and the increased output of coal. Business reports show the best volume for six years and good earnings are forecast. The Bonds Market and the Curb Exchange are both irregular.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks: The market has developed a mixed trend, but the undertone is firm. Prices of automobile tires have advanced by 6%. The Times Business Index for the week is 105.5 as against 103 last week and 95.0 for the corresponding week of last year.

Cotton: There is a slightly easier basis for low grades. The Trade were steady buyers for March.

Wheat: The Argentine has available for export 140,400,000 bushels, while Canada has 110,000,000 compared with 257,000,000 last year. Murray & Co. estimate farm disappearance from July 1st to January 1st at 541,000,000 bushels, compared with figures for the same period of last year of 507,000,000 bushels. There has been a visible decrease in U.S. wheat of 2,370,000 bushels. The market is at present quiet.

Corn: About 1,000,000 bushels of Argentine corn has just been purchased for the U.S., while 6,400,000 bushels are on the way here. The present high price is reported to be curbing consumption, but country marketings are light and "cash" is difficult to buy. There has been a visible increase in supplies of 226,000 bushels.

Rubber: Buying interest is probably accumulating, pending a settlement of the automobile strike. The outlook to-day is unfavourable. There has been a decrease in English supplies this week of 1,842 tons. Production of castings for November amounted to 4,332,028 units, while an inventory of stocks shows 10,815,699 units.

### REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages:	Jan. 16.	Jan. 18.
30 Industrials	185.73	184.95
20 Ralls	56.31	55.86
20 Utilities	37.26	37.31
40 Bonds	105.89	105.89
11 Commodity Index	79.74	79.15

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### U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS.

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuter.

#### New York Cotton

March	12.47/47	12.40/48
May	12.35/35	12.34/35
July	12.27/28	12.26/28
October	11.80/80	11.81/82
December	11.91/91	11.91/91
January	11.88/88	11.88/88
Spot	13.07	13.08

#### New York Rubber

March	22.02/04	21.50/50
May	21.91/91	21.40b/43a
July	21.77b/80a	21.27/27
September	21.70n	21.17n
December	21.04n	21.10n

Total sales:—1,730 tons.

#### Chicago Wheat

May	132 3/4/132 3/4	132 3/4/132 3/4
July	115 1/2/115 1/2	115 1/2/115 1/2
Sept.	112 1/2/112 1/2	112 1/2/112 1/2

Saturday's sales:—20,570,00 bushels.

#### Chicago Corn

May	108 1/4/108 1/4	108 1/4/108 1/4
July	104 1/4/104 1/4	104 1/4/104 1/4
Sept.	102 1/4/102 1/4	102 1/4/102 1/4

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July	106 1/4/106 1/4
Sept.	107 1/4/107 1/4

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## Three Major Difficulties Now Removed

THE addition of several new squadrons to the Far East Command of the Royal Air Force will be announced officially in the near future, a London source discloses.

Although the Far East Command is geographically the largest in the Empire its present strength is limited to the four squadrons based on Seletar.

Experts have expressed the view that at least 12 squadrons are urgently needed to provide an adequate aerial defence of Singapore and Hongkong, and to protect British trade routes in the Far East.

Present plans, it is believed, provide for the establishment this year of at least one squadron at each of the following centres:

Tengah (Singapore Island)  
Penang.  
Nicobar Islands (Bay of Bengal)  
Kai Tak (Hongkong)  
Pat Heng (Hongkong).

Later, more squadrons will be based at Sembawang (Singapore Island), at various strategic centres in Malaya, and possibly in Borneo and Burma.

## IMPORTANCE OF BORNEO

ALTHOUGH this expansion has been under consideration for some time past, and the early establishment of R.A.F. stations at Penang and the Nicobars has already been semi-officially announced, the Air Ministry was unable to expedite its Far East programme to any extent until 1937.

Three main factors were responsible for the delay—

(1) The Washington Treaty, under the terms of which any increase of Pacific fortifications east of Singapore was prohibited.

(2) The lack of suitable landing-grounds, aerodromes, and repair shops in the Far East.

(3) The prior necessity of strengthening the Home Squadrons, preceded by the Mediterranean crisis and the announcement of Germany's vast expansion programme.

All three difficulties have been removed either partially or in whole. The Washington Treaty expired with the end of last year.

Two aerodromes, complete with the latest military equipment, are nearing completion at Hongkong. Landing grounds have been laid down in British North Borneo and Sarawak.

The aerodromes at Penang and Kuala Lumpur have been reconstructed so that heavy torpedo-bombers can land and take-off. Aerodrome sites in other parts of Malaya have been secretly surveyed.

Aero-factories in Great Britain, working day and night, have reached a stage of production that will enable the R.A.F. Home expansion programme to be fulfilled in a few months, and already a degree of "security" has been obtained which was undreamt of two years ago.

### HOME DEFENCE

Although about 80 new squadrons are nominally allotted to Home Defence in the official expansion programme...

## ED. WYNN BLAMES HIS WIFE

New York, Jan. 10. ED. WYNN, the Broadway comedian, has filed an affidavit replying to his wife's suit for a separation order. "The product of a distorted mind," is his answer to the allegation that he is too friendly with the stage beauty, Frieda Mierse.

The comedian says that all his marital troubles are due to his wife's drinking, which, he says, has cost him \$50,000 for medical attention for her. He says that between 1921 and 1929 he left her 20 times owing to her intolerable conditions under which they lived. He adds that she once drank 32 cocktails at a single sitting.

He puts his wireless earnings at \$1,800 a week and admits he would now be worth \$1,000,000 but for his wife's "unfortunate condition."

## Father of Twins At 100

New York, Jan. 10. Edward Lee, an Oklahoma City man, aged 100, has become the father of twins.

Lee states he was born in Kentucky in 1836.

His wife, who is 36, gave birth to a boy and a girl, Albert and Alice, but Alice died soon afterwards.

Albert is to be adopted by another family as Lee is on the dole.

## ROMANCE SOON ENDS



£70,000 a year John "Caliban" Barrymore, with his nineteen-year-old bride, Elaine Barrie, whom he made his fourth bride. But the romance is off, and Elaine has now instituted proceedings for divorce.

## WITH THE HEAD- HUNTERS IN FORMOSA

IT IS FATAL TO RUN  
Fleeing Enemy Followed  
By Poisoned Dart

WHAT is the correct procedure to be adopted when one is making a leisurely walking tour in the mountains of Formosa, and happens to come across a head-hunter coming in the opposite direction, and seemingly all set for lopping off the first head which comes into view?

A way out of this awkward predicament was suggested by Professor Clarence Griffin when he lectured on the Aborigines of Formosa before members of the Royal Asiatic Society.

Professor Griffin said that in a situation like this it would be fatal to run. The head-hunter would then fetch out his blow-pipe and send after his fleeing enemy a poisonous dart. It would be equally foolish to move forward.

The only thing to be done was to stoop and pick a bluebell off the ground, and then to move towards the head-hunter in a friendly manner. He would then be pacified, as this served as a gesture of friendship.

Formosa, said Professor Griffin, in addition to a population of 5,000,000 descendants from the Chinese, had 150,000 aborigines who inhabit the

mountains. The western part of the island descended in paddy-fields, and the mountains were situated on the east coast.

Eight distinct dying nations had chosen the island of Formosa as their last resting place, and their remnants were still to be found among the aborigines of the mountains.

### JAPANESE LAW

Head-hunting among these tribes had now been practically stopped by Japanese law, but it was a custom that was very hard to wipe out altogether, as it had been in practice for centuries.

Four of the "nations" represented among the aborigines still practised the custom. At the tender age of 17, youths from these tribes were compelled to go forth and bring back the head of an enemy, unless they wished to be branded as cowards.

On his return from such an expedition, the youth was welcomed home by his whole tribe, and if the expedition had been successful he was branded with two marks under the chin to show that he was a man.

### PUT TO DEATH

If, however, he was so cowardly as to bring back the head of a woman, he himself was put to death by the members of his tribe.

In spite of this somewhat barbarous custom, these aborigines were a very fine people, possessing a high code of morals. They were never known to steal.

Japan, in the opinion of Professor Griffin, would stand more chance of wiping out the practice of head-hunting if she were to go about it in a more peaceable manner.

## HE PEERS BEYOND THE STARS

The first man to peer beyond the stellar system into the vast unknown spaces of the universe and look upon its inhabitants—the nebulae—is in London.

He is Dr. Edwin Hubble, premier astronomer of America, and his "eye" is the great 100-inch reflector at Mount Wilson Observatory, California, biggest telescope in the world. He described to me how a "sample" of outer space has been surveyed as thoroughly as a plot of building ground.

This mere sample contained 100,000,000 nebulae—a nebula is a stellar system like our own system of the Milky Way—and was 1,000,000,000 "light years" in diameter. A light year can be calculated from the fact that in one second light travels 186,000 miles.

### STILL BIGGER "EYE"

An even larger telescope, a 200in. reflector, is to be set up in the next five years for the Californian Institute of Technology.

At present it is rotating night and day on a specially-made grinding machine in a specially-built house in which the temperature can be controlled to balance exactly between summer and winter.

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12.30 Old Talkie Hits.  
1 p.m. Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.02 The B. D. C. Dance Orchestra.  
1.25 Reuter Press, Rugby Press.  
Local: Weather Forecast, Time and Announcements.

1.40 A Relay of the Rotary Club Tiffin Speech from the Roof-Garden of the Hongkong Hotel.

Rotarian C. A. Middleton Smith on "Engineering Development in China."  
2.10 p.m. Close Down.

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.  
7 p.m. A Light Orchestra Concert.

Spring Song (Mendelssohn); Jealousy—Tango Tzigane (Jacob Gade); Ich liebe dich—Waltz (Waldteufel); Fairy Tale (Heykens, arr. Foulkes); The Trailing Arbutus (Friedman); The Skaters—Waltz (Gumel); Petersburg Stroll—Ride Party (Eilenberg); Chopinola—Polka (arr. Silbermann); "The Quaker Girl"—Come to the Ball (Hess and Monckton).

7.30 Closing Local Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market Report.

7.35 Dance Music.  
8 p.m. Local: Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.02 Popular Marches.  
Liberty Bell (Souza); Hlawatha (Moret); Semper Fidelis March (Souza, arr. Hewitt); Steadfast and True (Telke, arr. Bidgood).

8.15 p.m. From the Studio. A Recital by Prue Lewis (Violin) and Helen Lockhart (Contralto).

1. Contralto Solo—"Aria"—Pietro, Signor... Stradella; 2. Violin Solo—"Sonata in G Major"—Allegretto; 3. Contralto Solo—"Vivace... Grig; 4. Contralto Solo—"Marie... Robert Franz; 5. Violin Solo—"Spanish Dance"; 6. Contralto Solo—"Granados"; 7. Contralto Solo—"Coccu... O'Hara, Sea-Moods... Catford.

8.45 "Rosamunde"—Overture (Schubert), Played by the Halls Orchestra, Conducted by Sir Hamilton Hartley.

8.55 London—News and Announcements.

9.15 From the Studio. A Jazz Piano Recital by Doreen Ma.

1. Yeah Man; 2. Until the Real Thing comes along; 3. Dark Eyes; 4. Medley; 5. What a girl, what a night, what a moon! 6. Never gonna dance.

9.35 "Grinning" (Benatzky), played by Jack Hylton and his Orchestra.

9.40 From the Studio. "A Friendly Chat with our Listeners."

9.50 Three Songs by the Boswell Sisters.

"Gold Diggers of 1935"—Lullaby of Broadway; "Follow the Fleet"; I'm putting all my eggs in one basket. Let yourself go.

10 p.m. London—Big Ben. A Talk: "World Affairs" by H. V. Hodson.

10.16 London—Irish Traditional Songs and Fiddling (Recorded).

10.25 A Variety Programme.

Piano Solo—Nimble Fingered Gentleman... Billy Mayerl; Vocal—Thar's gold in dem thar hills... The Hill Billies; Organ Solo—"The King Steps Out"—Medley... Reginald Foort; Vocal—George Formby Medley... George Formby; Vocal—Dancing with my Darling. This is the kiss of Romance... Lucienne Boyer; Instrumental—Gipsy Fantasy, Gipsy Drinking Song... Rode and His Tziganes; Vocal—Hypnotized; A Little Rendezvous in Honolulu... Turner Layton.

11 p.m. Close Down.

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GSI	22,510 k.c.	13.33 metres
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Transmission 1  
(G.S.B., G.S.B., G.S.B.)  
4 p.m. Big Ben, Lindrum v. Davis. A commentary on the snooker match.

4.22 p.m. The B.B.C. Theatre Organ.  
4.45 p.m. "I Was There"—The Rising of the Brazenmen (Southern Nigeria).  
5 p.m. Recital by the Syrian Trio.  
5.40 p.m. The News and Announcements.  
Greenwich Time Signal at 5.40 p.m.

Transmission 2  
(G.S.B., G.S.B., G.S.B.)  
7 p.m. Big Ben, Allan Kennedy, at the Organ of the Royal Cinema, Glasgow.

7.25 p.m. Dramatic Reading: Drinkwater's "Arabian Lincoln".  
7.50 p.m. The B.B.C. Empire Orchestra.  
8.20 p.m. Musical Interlude.  
8.35 p.m. The News and Announcements.  
8.40 p.m. The News and Announcements.  
9.15 p.m. Lindrum v. Davis. A commentary on the snooker match.

9.25 p.m. Dance Music.  
Transmission 3  
(G.S.B., G.S.B., G.S.B.)  
10 p.m. Big Ben, "World Affairs," A talk by H. V. Hodson.

10.16 p.m. Irish Traditional Songs and Fiddling.  
10.25 p.m. Mat Mulcahey, "The Owl" from County Tyrone.  
10.45 p.m. Irish Traditional Songs and Fiddling (cont.).  
10.55 p.m. "Tales of the Sea"—2.  
11 p.m. The Troubadour Musical Orchestra.  
12.05 a.m. The News and Announcements.  
Greenwich Time Signal at 12.05 a.m.  
12.50 a.m. Dance Music.

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## NEW GOVERNOR FOR COLONY

(Continued from Page 1.)

for special duty as Malayan Commissioner to the British Empire Exhibition in 1924-25. He became Town Planning Administrator and State Valuer in Ipoh in 1926, and in the same year was appointed Chairman of the Housing and P.W.D. Enquiry Committee. He was again Deputy Controller of Labour in 1927, and in the following year was appointed Secretary of Postal Affairs for the Straits Settlements and F.M.S. Sir Andrew became acting British Resident at Negri Sembilan in 1929, of Perak in 1930, and of Selangor in 1931. In the latter year, he was acting Chief Secretary to the F.M.S. Government, and in 1932 was supernumerary staff officer of the rank of Chief Secretary to the Government. In December, 1933, he was appointed Colonial Secretary of the Straits Settlements, a post which he has since held.

A man of culture, Sir Andrew Caldecott is the author of "History of Jelapah" in numerous articles on Malay subjects, and in addition to writing is fond of music and painting. He is also a keen tennis and golf player.

In 1918, Sir Andrew Caldecott married Miss Olive May Innes, a daughter of Mr. J. R. Innes, C.M.G., who was for many years in the Straits Settlements Civil Service and was retired on pension in 1919. There is one son and one daughter by the marriage.

### NALDERA LEAVES

London, Jan. 18. The P. and O. liner Naldera, delayed on her voyage to the Far East for the past few days, sailed this afternoon.—Reuter.

## No Bargaining With Strikers

CONTINUED  
DEADLOCK

Detroit, Jan. 18. The General Motors Corporation has issued the following statement on the strike crisis:

"There can be no bargaining until the factories are evacuated. The agreement made by the union to evacuate the plants on Monday has not been kept, as the strikers have not left the plant in Flint. Mr. Homer Martin, strikers' representative, told the press that plans for a conference between leaders of both sides were 'off.' No further conferences are scheduled either with the G.M.C. or Governor Frank Murphy.—Reuter.

## ENGLISH CHANNEL GALE

London, Jan. 18. During to-day's gale in the English Channel, heavy seas which pounded coast defence works and promenades of pleasure resorts drove many vessels to shelter. The train ferry cargo service between Dover and Dunkirk was cancelled.—British Wireless.

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# LAST NIGHT'S REMARKABLE BADMINTON MATCH

## St. Andrew's, Down 4-5, Should Have Won Easily

### GAMES LITERALLY THROWN AWAY

#### University Players Make Brilliant Recoveries

(By "Veritas")

Some remarkable badminton was seen at St. Andrew's Church Hall last evening when University "B" upset general predictions by beating St. Andrew's "A" five

games to four.

Twice the Saints had the points in their pockets and they should have won by at least 6-3. But astounding recoveries were made. In two games by K. L. Hui and T. F. Yang, while in the deciding encounter, S. K. Lim and A. K. Phang beat S. A. Gray and F. A. Broadbridge after the home pair had secured a lead at 18-17.

The most extraordinary contest of the evening was that between Hui and Yang and Gray and Broadbridge. The latter, playing fast and accurate badminton led 17-6, then 20-10, but from that stage failed to score another point. Four times they had both hands in on service, but could not obtain the one point required for the game, and after the University pair had levelled up to "set" the game, they secured the three points off the reel. In other words they scored 13 aces in succession.

The same players repeated the performance against Wong and Madar. The St. Andrew's couple led 10-10, but were pulled back and made to "set" the game. They managed to add two more aces after the visitors had reached game point, but that was the finish.

With Fincher and Kew winning all three games, the teams were level at four-all when the last match was put into court. Gray and Broadbridge started shakily against Lim and Phang and were trailing 11-17 at one stage. Then they recovered briskly and actually took the lead 18-17. But having lost the service they could not sustain the pressure and the Varsity pair went to their points on the second hand.

The University players gave a splendid show of fighting badminton but St. Andrew's should never have lost. This is the third match this season St. Andrew's have lost against the run of play, though in each case they had themselves to blame.

Owing to several of their players suffering injuries from week-end hockey, Recreio "B" could not turn out a team against University "A" and conceded the points.

Though at full strength, Chinese Recreation Club failed to make the

slightest impression on Recreio "A" and were routed by eight games to one.

Lim and Kwok obtained the Recreation Club's consolation point, beating the homesters' third pair. But throughout the Portuguese were right on top and won at will.

Only one second division match was played, St. John's visiting Sailors and Soldiers Home and winning all nine sets.

The detailed scores and revised league tables are appended.

#### "A" DIVISION

##### ST. ANDREW'S "A" v. UNIVERSITY "B"

Played at St. Andrew's Church Hall, the visitors winning by five games to four.

E. F. Fincher and H. Kew (St. Andrew's) beat K. L. Hui and T. F. Yang 21-12; beat K. L. Hui and T. F. Yang 21-6; beat S. K. Lim and A. K. Phang 21-7.

S. A. Gray and F. A. Broadbridge (St. Andrew's) lost to Yung and Tye 21-12; lost to Hui and Yung 20-23; lost to Lim and Phang 18-21.

F. V. Wong and T. A. Madar (St. Andrew's) lost to Yung and Tye 18-21; lost to Hui and Yung 21-24; beat Lim and Phang 21-15.

#### RECREIO "A" v. C.R.C.

At King's Park last night, Recreio "A" beat the Chinese Recreation Club by 8 games to 1 in the "A" Division: M. A. Oliveira and J. J. Remedios (Recreio "A") beat C. Y. Yung and H. W. Ho 21-4; beat W. C. Choy and P. C. Leung 21-5; beat F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang 21-6.

L. A. Carvalho and A. M. Silva (Recreio "A") beat Yung and Ho 21-7; beat Choy and Leung 21-10; beat Kwok and Liang 24-23.

E. da Sousa and H. A. Alves (Recreio "A") beat Yung and Ho 21-12; beat Choy and Leung 21-15; lost to Kwok and Liang 21-24.

#### "B" DIVISION

S. AND S. HOME v. ST. JOHN'S

At Wanchai last night, St. John's beat the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home by 9 games to nil in the "B" Division: A. J. Bennett and David Kwok (St. John's) beat Jago and Yang Chen (Continued on Page 9.)

#### WHY REYNOLDSTOWN WILL NOT RUN IN THE GRAND NATIONAL

London, Jan. 4. Major Furlong, the owner of Reynoldstown, is not entering him for the Grand National this year. His reasons are, firstly, that there is such a thing as taking the piteous to the well too often and secondly, that the altered conditions are unfair and the best horses may easily be beaten by selling platers in receipt of a lot of weight.

After the decision Reynoldstown won the Phipperley Chase at Leicester—his first race since last year's Grand National.—Reuter.

#### BADMINTON ENTRIES IMPROVE

#### Seventeen In Singles

(By "Veritas")

Further entries for the Colony badminton championships were received yesterday, the totals now being: Men's Singles, seventeen; Men's Doubles, fifteen; Mixed Doubles, four.

Thus it is still necessary for one more entry in the men's doubles and four in the mixed doubles to be made before these two events can be staged.

Latest additions to the men's doubles are K. S. Liew and K. L. Yung and C. H. Soon and P. E. Tan both of the University. University now have three pairs entered, while Recreio have four representatives.

L. A. Carvalho of Recreio has dropped out of the singles and has decided instead to compete in the mixed doubles, his partner being Miss C. Silva.

The complete list of entries to date follows.

#### MEN'S SINGLES

F. H. Kwok, M. A. Oliveira, S. A. Gray, F. Koh, J. J. Ong, E. de Sousa, P. H. Wong, C. E. Ching, A. L. Fisher, A. M. Silva, H. Kew, H. A. Alves, P. C. Leung, T. C. Lee, P. K. Hui, S. W. Liang and N. A. E. Mackay. (17)

#### MEN'S DOUBLES

F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang, M. A. Oliveira and J. J. Remedios, T. W. Wong and T. Y. Cheong, J. J. Ong and F. Koh, P. H. Wong and C. E. Ching, S. A. Gray and F. A. Broadbridge, A. M. Silva and L. A. Carvalho, E. F. Fincher and H. Kew, H. A. Alves and E. de Sousa, A. E. Xavier and H. A. Barros, P. C. Lee and P. K. Hui, A. J. Bennett and D. Kwok, N. A. E. Mackay and H. Chui, K. S. Liew and K. L. Yung, C. H. Soon and P. E. Tan (15).

#### MIXED DOUBLES

M. A. Oliveira and Miss M. Silva, S. A. Gray and Miss A. Mackenzie, D. Kwok and Miss McCaw, L. A. Carvalho and Miss C. Silva (4).

#### WASEDA WERE CALLANT LOSERS AND GREAT SPORTSMEN



#### THEIR RECORD OF HOCKEY TOUR

(By "The Pilgrim")

The Waseda University hockey team may not have blazed a trail of glorious victories during their stay in Hongkong, but the visit, which comes to an end to-night, has been instructive, and has indicated that hockey among the Japanese students is on the upward grade.

Their final appearance in Hongkong will be at a complimentary dinner this evening at the Peninsula Hotel. This will start at eight o'clock and immediately afterwards the players will go on board ready to depart early on Wednesday morning.

Though the team has not been so successful as anticipated, the Japanese have given rattling good accounts of themselves in most matches. Only against the Navy to whom they lost 7-1 did they fall very much below Colony standard. And this was not so much due to the Navy's normal superiority as to the fact that the Japanese were tired after their two previous strenuous games.

They have taken all their likings with a grin and they have demonstrated sportsmanship in the truest sense of that word. Special mention is deserving of their splendid display against the Civilians on Sunday following an intensive programme during the previous seven days, and of their worthy performance against Macao yesterday.

Their captain, T. Yamanaka, told me they have all thoroughly enjoyed their stay in Hongkong and are looking forward to a return visit, the date for which is at the present somewhat indefinite.



Yonemaru (top left), Waseda's smart centre-forward, Sugawara, the brilliant outside right and Olympic trial player, and below Masamura, the visitors' leading goal-scorer.

Here is the complete record of their matches played in the South:

Combined Services	4	Waseda	2
Colony	3	Waseda	2
Navy	7	Waseda	1
Army	4	Waseda	1
Argonauts	3	Waseda	1
University	0	Waseda	2
Civilians	5	Waseda	1
Macao	5	Waseda	2
Total	31	Waseda	13

Goalscorers:—Masamura 3, Kawai 3, Kollima 2, Sugawara 2, Shimoda 3. The Hongkong Hockey Association hopes that all players who took part in the matches against Waseda will endeavour to attend the dinner this evening, as it will be their only chance of bidding farewell and bon voyage to the Japanese players.

#### Waseda's Plucky Display Against Macao

#### DEFEATED 5-3, BUT IMPRESS

(By Our Own Correspondent)

Macao, Jan. 18. Despite the threatening state of the weather, unusually large crowds of spectators turned out this afternoon to witness the eagerly-awaited hockey match between the Waseda University, captained by T. Yamanaka, and the Macao Hockey Club, captained by Laertes de Costa. Great was the excitement at the end of the game when the scores stood at five goals to three in favour of Macao.

Play was extremely fast from the outset and exchanges even. The home forwards pressed the attack vigorously and almost scored within the first five minutes.

Taking advantage of a pass, Airoso, right inside, opened the score for Macao from close range. Waseda equalized three minutes later when Shimoda, right wing, netted following a general melee close to their opponents' goal mouth.

As play proceeded, the visitors' defence was seen to advantage. Oshihara at right back being particularly prominent in destroying several intensive raids. However, before the interval, the opposing forwards broke through and Macao regained the lead when Airoso registered his second goal after a quick pass by Lammet, left back.

Upon resumption Macao combined tactical distribution with fine individual stickwork, but erratic shooting at crucial moments, plus the opposition's counter manoeuvres, prevented a score during the first fifteen minutes.

Eventually the local team managed to break through, and a third goal

Clubhouse Chatter

By "Veritas"

#### Shanghai Women's Hockey Interport Difficulties

#### CAN HONGKONG HELP? A SUGGESTION

THERE appears to be a considerable amount of dithering existent in the realm of Shanghai hockey. The question is whether the northerners can send a women's hockey Interport team to Hongkong next month.

If it was purely a matter of getting together a team there would be no problem. Money is the factor creating doubts as to whether or not there will be a women's Interport this season. There is, apparently, a number of contributing factors to this position. The Shanghai Ladies Hockey Association, newly constituted and therefore by no means richly endowed with dollars and cents, suffered a big disappointment financially over Hongkong's visit last year. Bad weather kept down the attendances at the various matches, while the profit anticipated from the Interport dinner could not be realised as circumstances caused the abandonment of that function. Thus, at the end of the Interport, Shanghai found themselves out of pocket, rather than enjoying the fruits of the event which should have been a satisfactory lining for a comfortable bank balance.

other hand this gesture may be interpreted to justify the claim that money, or no money, Shanghai will send a team.

#### Can Colony Help?

ONE wonders whether in a problem of this nature, Hongkong could not make some helpful gesture. Could it not, for example, offer ten per cent. of gate receipts from the matches to be played here during Chinese New Year, if it was found that Shanghai cannot realise its \$1,000 appeal? I presume there will be admission charges to the Interport and other matches, for this seems to be the only method by which the Hongkong Ladies Hockey Association can recoup any of its outlay on the Colony's visit to Shanghai a year ago. That being so there seems to be no very valid reason why Hongkong, as a gesture of goodwill, and in an effort to keep alive the highly desirable contests between the two ports, should not offer to share in proportion, the monies received from the Interport series here next month. It would not be a question of making Shanghai's visit here conditional upon such an arrangement, but simply an unsolicited and sporting offer to assist the northerners should they be unable to raise all the funds necessary to make the trip. I don't doubt there are several reasonable objections to such a procedure, and this is merely a suggestion thrown out with the idea that it may help to alleviate a contretemps which threatens the immediate continuation of the women's hockey Interport series between Shanghai and Hongkong.

#### Opinions Divided

ACCORDING to the Shanghai Times, hockey circles up there have divided into two sharply defined camps. One insists that the Interport will take place next month whether or not money is forthcoming to finance the players' travelling expenses; the other is just as emphatic that unless the appeal for \$1,000 is raised it will be impossible to send a team down here. I rather think the second alternative is the correct estimation of the Shanghai Ladies Hockey Association's intention. The appeal for \$1,000 is still being fervently lunched, and it is encouraging to observe that it has met with some response, \$160 having, up to Saturday last, been subscribed by various sports bodies. But there will have to be a more concentrated drive for the money if it is to be raised in time. Only three weeks is left between now and the Interport and a much more quickened response to the appeal is therefore necessary. Shanghai are apparently confident that the money will be forthcoming inasmuch that a team has been chosen to make the trip. On the

#### Vines And Perry

THE telephone call I received yesterday afternoon did not surprise me. I had been more or less waiting for it. I knew that when it did come it would be rather amusing, and the amusement would largely be at my expense. So unlike Cedric Belfrage, who found the telephone so distracting that he vanished to the other end of the world to write a book on Escapology, and other eminent men of letters who have found it necessary to de-subscribe themselves from the telephonic service because of its terrifying influence upon their lives, I waited with a sense of keen anticipation for the call, which, when it did come gleefully enquired "And now what are you going to write about Perry and Vines?" As a matter of fact I didn't intend to write anything, because for one thing it is possible to have too much of a good thing, and again there are certain obvious features about the Perry-Vines tennis engagements which scarcely call for comment. The most obvious is that with two such well-matched players alternate victories

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#### Lynch Fights This Evening Montana

London, Jan. 18. The championship bout between Lynch, the British flyweight champion and Small Montana, flyweight champion of the world takes place on Tuesday night, starting at 9.45 p.m. G.M.T. (5.45 a.m. Hongkong time on Wednesday).

The fight is being staged at Wembley Stadium and is scheduled to go 15 rounds.—United Press.

#### RUGBY FOOTBALL

#### Scottish XV For Match Against Wales

London, Jan. 18. The following have been chosen to play for Scotland in the Rugby Football match against Wales at Swansea, on February 6. Korr (Harristown), Johnson (Richmond), Dick (Guy's Hospital), McKee (St. Andrews University), R. W. Shaw (Glasgow High School), Ross (Hillhead), Logan (Edinburgh Wanderers), Henderson (Dunfermline), Gray (Gala), Another, Horsaugh (London Scottish), Melville (Army), Young (Cambridge University), Waters (Selkirk), G. D. Shaw (Gala), Moffat, Ross, Henderson, Horsaugh, Melville and Young are all making their first appearance in an international match.—Reuter.





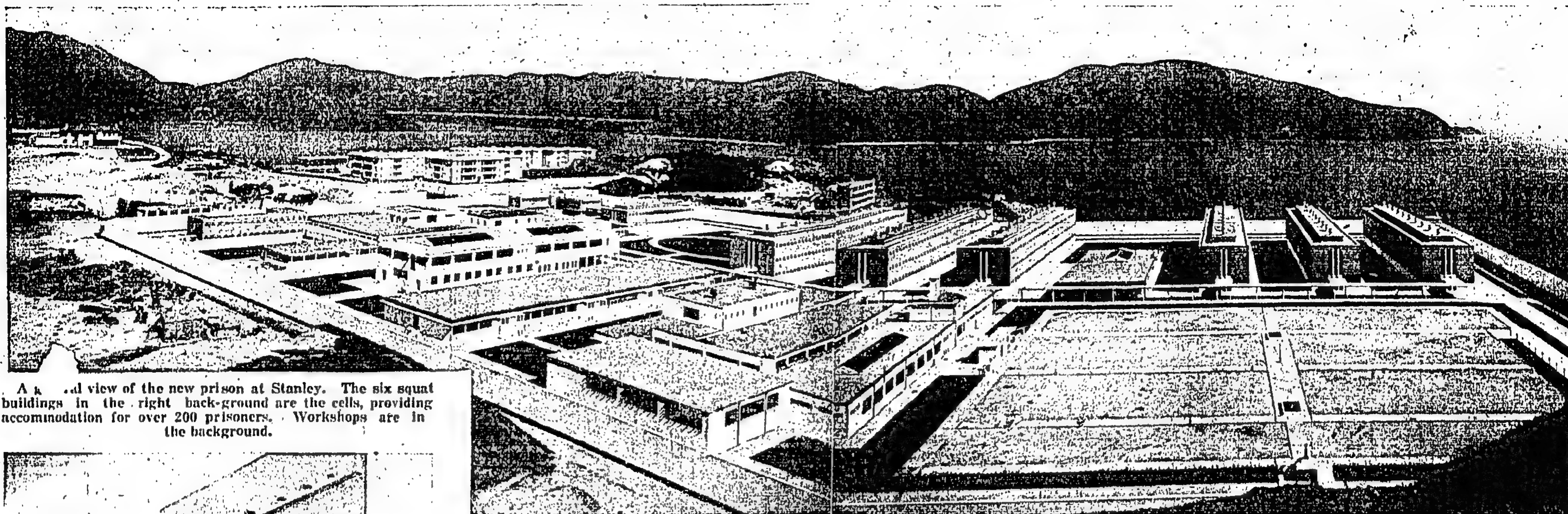








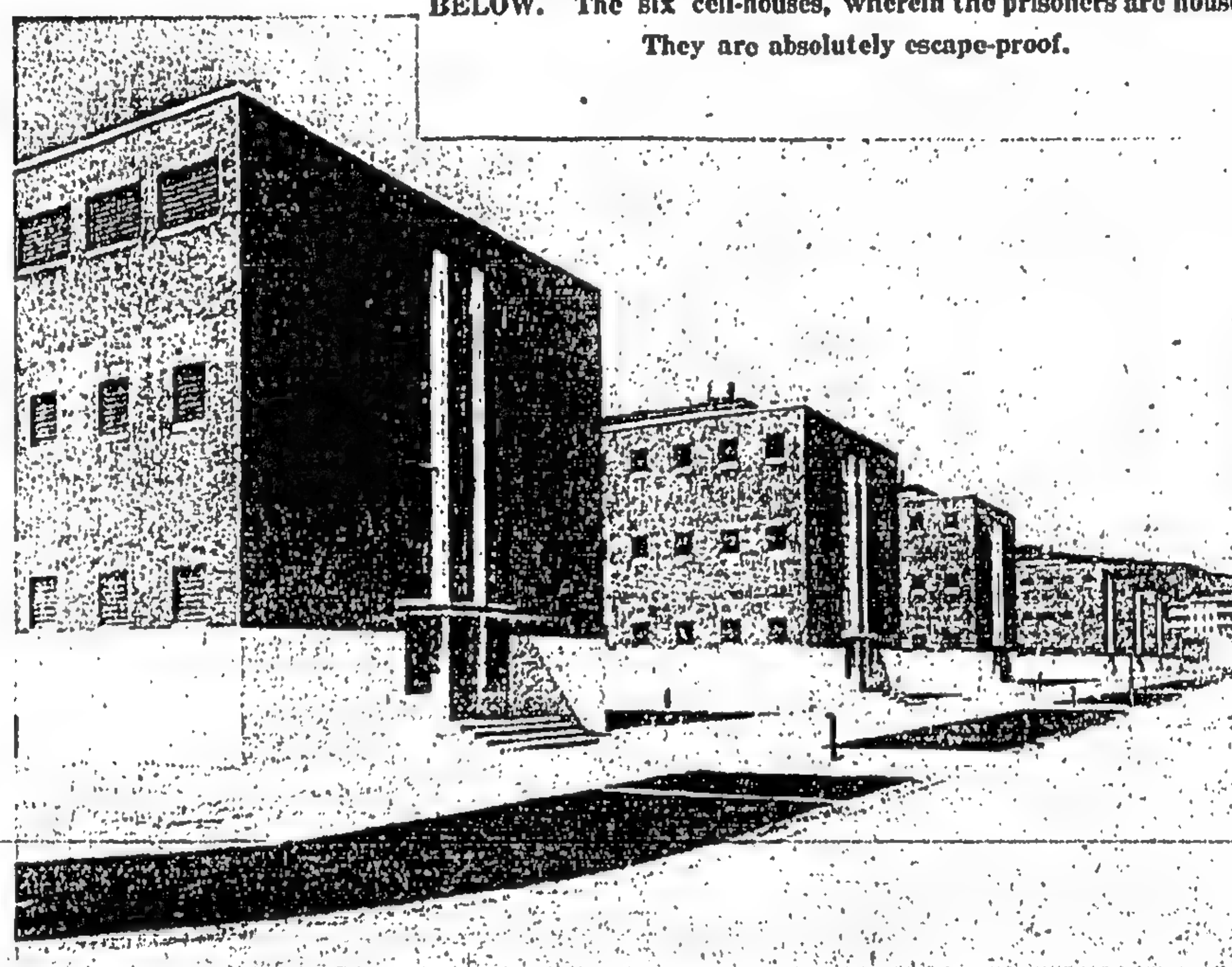
# Stone Walls DO A Prison Make The New Jail At Stanley



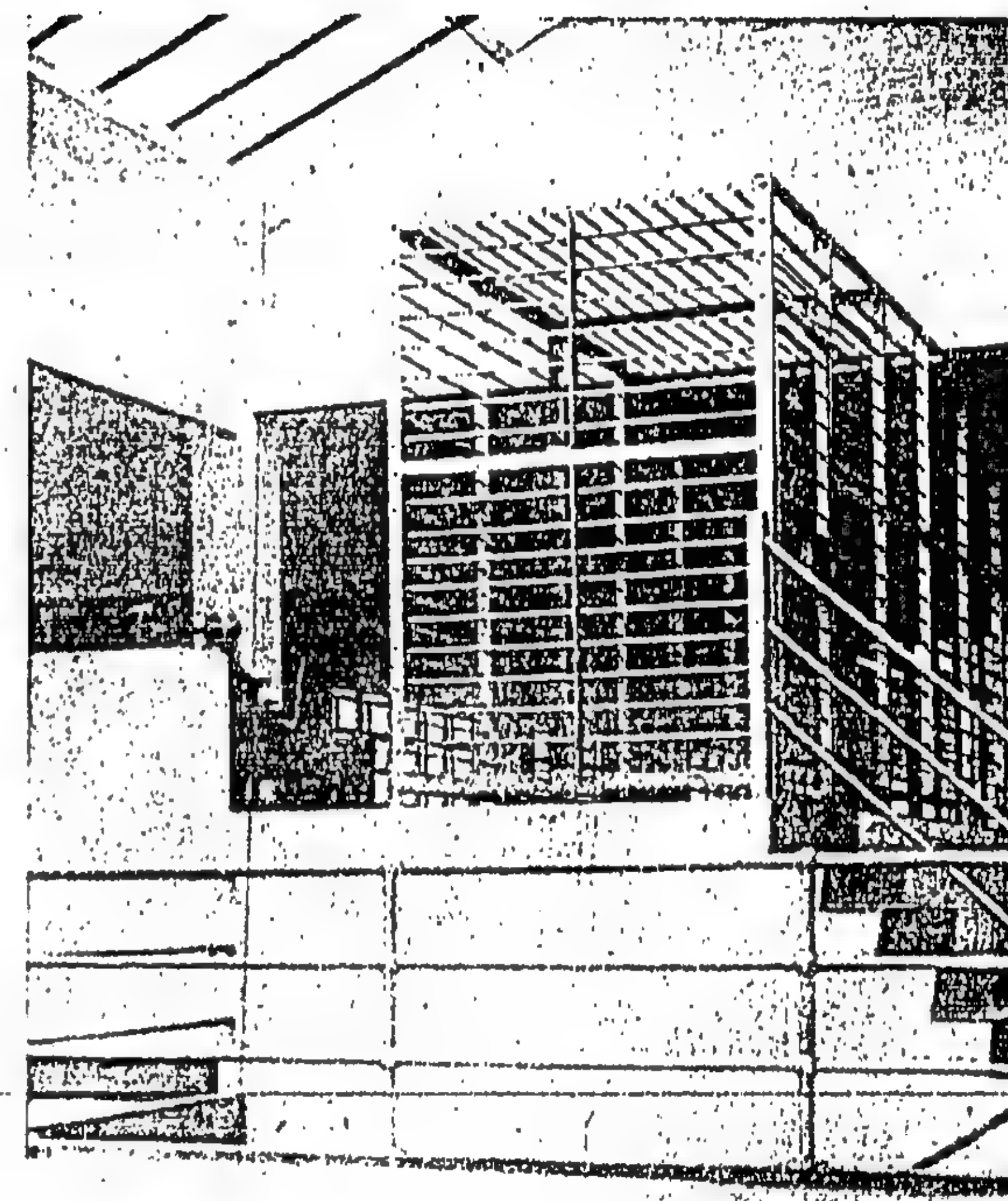
Aerial view of the new prison at Stanley. The six squat buildings in the right back-ground are the cells, providing accommodation for over 200 prisoners. Workshops are in the background.



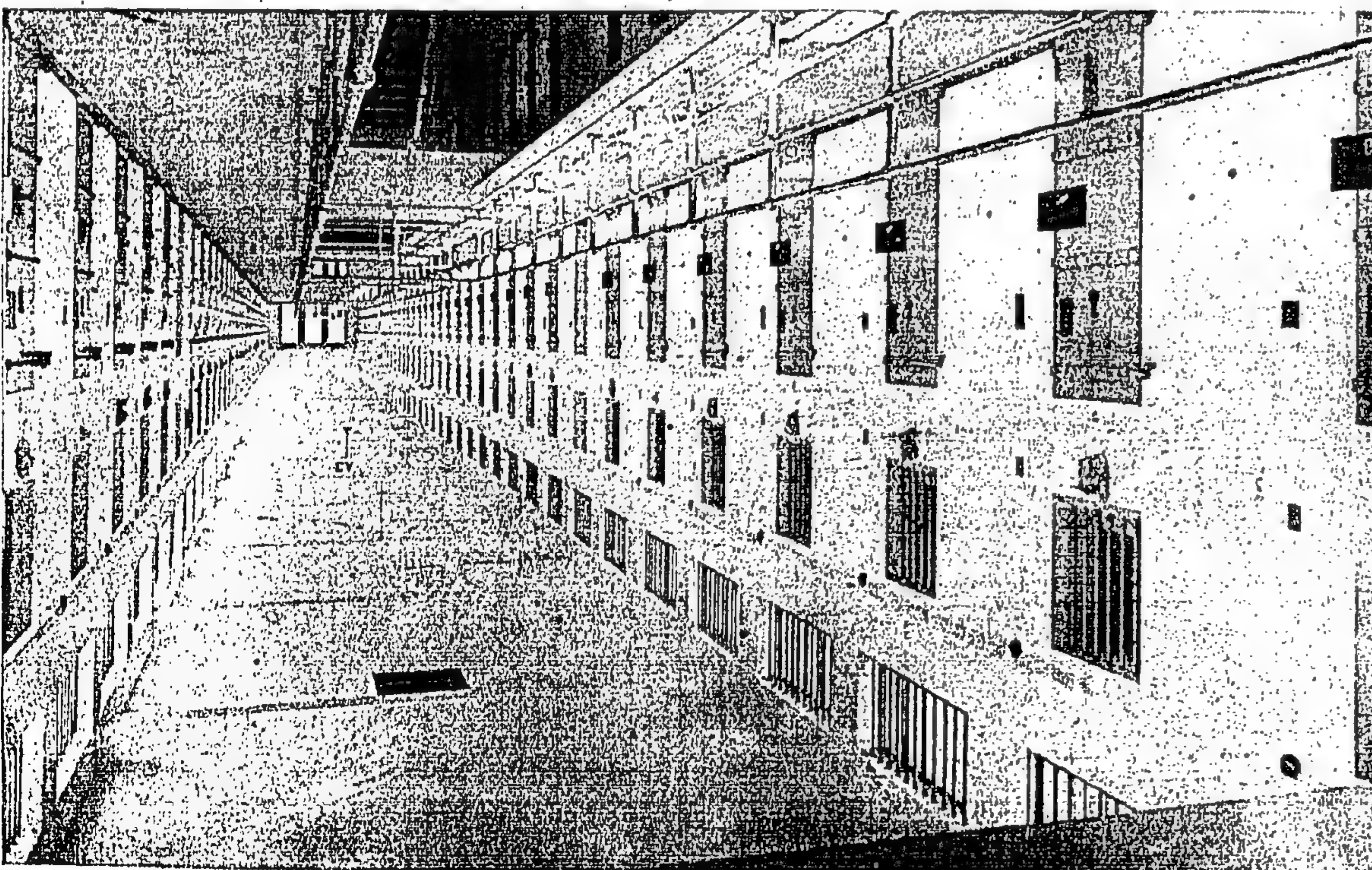
Once locked in their cells, prisoners are entirely cut off from the outside. A tiny peep-hole in the door is the only means of communication.



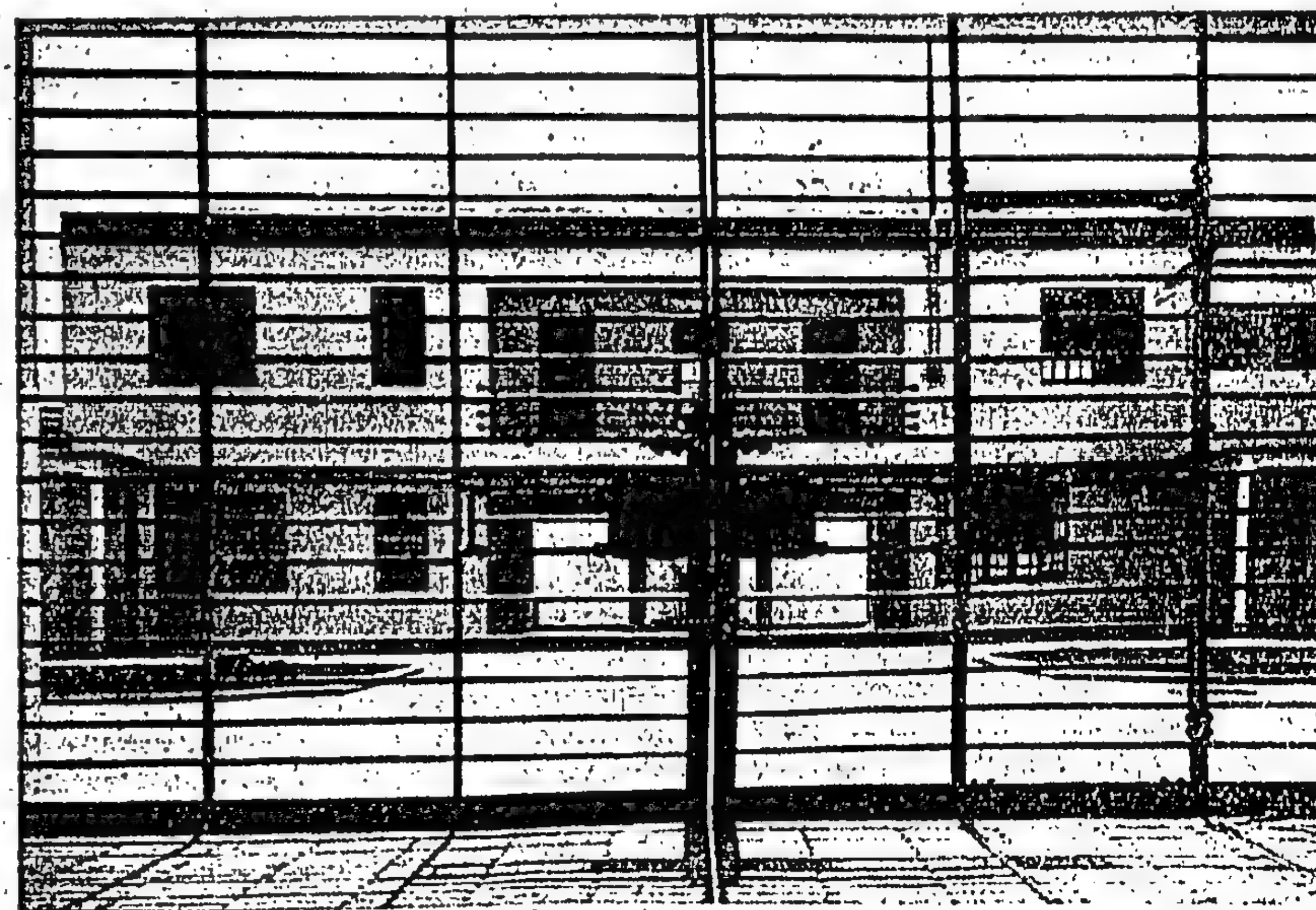
BELOW. The six cell-houses, wherein the prisoners are housed. They are absolutely escape-proof.



Warders will constantly patrol inside this cage, one of many in the prison's workshops.



One of the tiers in A Cell-block. Each tier has accommodation for 100 prisoners and there are three tiers in each block. Warders constantly patrol up and down the gangway.



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## NANKING'S ARMY READY TO ATTACK

### Foreigners of Sianfu Have Reached Safety

Nanking, Jan. 19.

The military drive against the Shensi rebels was due to begin to-day, following the announcement that the Government had decided to terminate the armistice at midnight.

This decision came after the presentation of a series of demands by Yang Hu-chen, although he had raised hopes of a peaceful settlement by pledging his loyalty to Nanking on Saturday night. These hopes were rudely shattered when the nature of the demands, wholly unacceptable to the Government, was made known.

It is understood they are essentially the same as those indicated yesterday. The rebels demand that Communists be given garrison duty in Shensi and Kansu; that Chang Hsueh-liang be appointed Pacification Commissioner of this area; that Chang's and Yang's troops shall be solely responsible to their commanders; and that Nanking is to supply military equipment and cover expenses regularly.

Government troops, it is stated, have completed their concentrations and are now awaiting the order to swing into action against Yang. It is hoped that as soon as hostilities begin, Chang's troops in Shensi will break away from Yang and transfer their allegiance to the Government, leaving only Yang's 30,000 men and his Communist allies to be dealt with by Nanking. Chang's troops would probably be transferred to Anhwei.

The Government has concluded arrangements with Yu Hsueh-chung, who is still officially described as the Governor of Kansu, to take over Chang's troops in that province.—*Reuter*.

#### Foreigners Safe

Nanking, Jan. 19.  
It was announced to-day that 73 foreigners have been evacuated from Sianfu by motor bus and have arrived at Tungkuang, on the Shensi-Honan border.

The Eurasia transport plane, which flew north from here yesterday to assist in evacuating the foreign residents of the war-threatened area, is expected to bring the five remaining refugees in the danger zone, three English and two Asians, to Loyang to-day.

*Reuter's* Peiping correspondent cables that the party of foreigners which arrived at Tungkuang yesterday, consisted of "all those desiring to leave Sianfu" according to an official message announcing their arrival.

Presumably the remaining five persons, mentioned above, had intended to remain at their posts.

#### Attaches Active

It is learned that Lieut.-Col. Lovat Fraser, British military attaché, and Capt. David Barrett, American assistant military attaché, flew to Sianfu from Loyang, by a Eurasia plane this morning, and persuaded the five who had intended to remain behind, to change their minds.

Capt. Ronald Scott, British assistant military attaché, accompanied the motor bus party from Sianfu to Tungkuang, and then returned to Sianfu, presumably to assist Lieut.-Col. Fraser.—*Reuter*.

## STOP PRESS

### H. K. To Seek Retention Of Governor

Regret was expressed at the Rotary Club meeting to-day at the impending departure from the Colony of H.E. Sir Andrew Caldecott.

The President, Mr. W. N. Thomas, said he understood that a number of public bodies proposed to make the strongest representations to the Secretary of State for Sir Andrew's retention as Governor of Hongkong. He added that the Rotary Club would join others in such representations.

## NEW GOVERNOR FOR HONGKONG NAMED

### SIR ANDREW CALDECOTT TO TAKE POST IN CEYLON

The Colony will learn with surprise of the appointment of His Excellency Sir Andrew Caldecott, Kt., C.M.G., C.B.E., Governor of Hongkong, as Governor of Ceylon, in succession to Sir Edward Stubbs, G.C.M.G., who himself was a former Governor of Hongkong.

It is further announced that Sir Geoffrey Alexander Stafford Northcote, K.C.M.G., Governor of British Guiana, is to become the new Governor of Hongkong.

It is announced from Government House that His Excellency Sir Andrew and Lady Caldecott, who will return to England for a period of furlough before proceeding to Ceylon, will leave Hongkong on April 16 in the *Empress of Japan*. His Excellency will arrive in Ceylon about mid-October to assume the Governorship there.

The news was contained in *Reuter* and *United Press* messages from London this morning, it being intimated that Sir Edward Stubbs is retiring from the Governorship of Ceylon next September.

Sir Andrew Caldecott has been Governor of Hongkong for little more than a year, having arrived here to take up his post on December 12, 1935. During his Governorship, Sir Andrew has won immense popularity amongst all sections of the community, both by reason of his marked administrative ability and also because of his charm of personality. Hongkong will deeply regret his transfer, whilst at the same time congratulating him on his promotion. The Governorship of Ceylon, to which he has been appointed, is considered the "plum" of the Colonial Governorships. It carries a salary of £3,000 per annum, compared with £7,000 for the Governorship of Hongkong. Not only will Hongkong deplore the pending departure of Sir Andrew, but there will also be widespread regret felt at saying good-bye to Lady Caldecott, who has taken the deepest interest in Colony affairs during her residence in the Colony.

#### New Governor

Hongkong's new Governor, Sir Geoffrey Alexander Stafford Northcote, who is 56 years of age, has been Governor of British Guiana since 1934. He is a son of the Rev. Canon Hon. Arthur Francis Northcote, fourth son of the 1st Earl of Iddesleigh. He is married, his wife being formerly Miss Edith Juliet Mary Adams. There are three sons by the marriage. Sir Geoffrey was educated at Blundell's School and Balliol College, Oxford, where he secured his B.A. degree with honours and was Newton and Hulsh Exhibitor. His Colonial service began in May, 1904, when he was appointed Assistant Collector, East African Protectorate. From 1904 to 1906, he was acting Collector and acting District Commissioner, South Kavirondo, whilst in the latter year he also served as Political Officer, Kisumu. He was a member of the Sleeping Sickness Commission during 1909-10 and in the latter year was again District Commissioner.

#### Other Posts

He was in charge of Kikuyu Province in 1911, and acting Provincial Commissioner from May to October, 1919. From then until July, 1920, he was acting Assistant Colonial Secretary, home Assistant Colonial Secretary in 1921, during which year and for several periods until 1923 he was acting Colonial Secretary. During July and August, 1923, Sir Geoffrey was Governor's Deputy, being a member of the Legislative Council, and was again acting Colonial Secretary in 1925 and 1926. In February, 1927, he was appointed Chief Secretary of Rhodesia, with a seat on the Executive and Legislative Councils, and in 1930 was appointed Colonial Secretary of the Gold Coast, being acting Governor on several occasions until 1932. He remained at the Gold Coast until appointed Governor of British Guiana in 1934.

#### Sir Andrew's Career

Sir Andrew Caldecott, who was born in October, 1884, is a son of the late Rev. Andrew Caldecott, whose death occurred recently. He was educated at Uppingham and at Exeter College, Oxford, and was appointed a Cadet in the Federated Malay States in 1907. The whole of his Colonial career has been spent in the Malayan Civil Service, in which he has held numerous posts.

After serving as District Officer at Jelapah, he was appointed Controller of Labour in 1913, and in 1916 became Second Assistant Secretary to the Federal Secretary. Whilst on leave in England, he was seconded for special duty as Malayan Commissioner to the British Empire Exhibition in 1924-25. He became Town Planning Administrator, and State Valuer in 1926, and in the same year was appointed Chairman of the Housing and P.W.D. Enquiry Committee. He was again (Continued on Page 5.)

## SLAYER'S IDENTITY SECURED

### FINGER-PRINTS GIVE CLUE

Los Angeles, Jan. 18.  
The identity of the murderer in the case of little Charles Mattson, beaten to death by a kidnapper, is known to the police, it is claimed.

It was established by a comparison of finger-prints found at Tacoma, Washington, and near the scene of the crime, according to officials.

G-men have been mobilized to search the neighbourhood where it is believed the wanted man is in hiding.—*Reuter Bulletin Service*.

## STRIKE RIOTS IN MICHIGAN

### Roosevelt Attempting Quiet Intervention

Rioting is reported to have broken out at the General Motors Corporation plant in Flint, Michigan, late last night.—*Reuter*.

#### CONTINUED DEADLOCK

Detroit, Jan. 18.  
The General Motors Corporation has issued the following statement on the strike crisis:

"There can be no bargaining until the factories are evacuated. The agreement made by the union to evacuate the plants on Monday has not been kept, as the strikers have not left the plant in Flint." Mr. Homer Martin, strikers' representative, told the press that plans for a conference between leaders of both sides were "off." No further conferences are scheduled either with the G.M.C. or Governor Frank Murphy.—*Reuter*.

#### PRESIDENT'S INTERVENTION

Washington, Jan. 18.  
Sources closely connected with official circles here express the belief that President Roosevelt is quietly pouring oil on the troubled labour waters despite the official insistence on non-intervention.

They point out the following noteworthy developments:

(1) Following a telephone conversation with the President, Governor Murphy induced the G.M.C. executive and the United Automobile Workers Association's representatives to confer on Monday. (This conference has now been cancelled.)

(2) Following a conference with President Roosevelt, Mr. G. L. Berry, representative of the labour section of the N.R.A., prepared to start for New York, "to see some G.M.C. officials."

(3) Following a visit to the White House, Mr. Myron C. Taylor, the Chairman of U.S. Steel Corporation, made a public request for better co-operation between the management and labour.

(4) Following a conference with the President, Mr. E. F. McGrady, the Assistant Secretary of Labour, warned the Pacific Coast Shipowners (Continued on Page 5.)

## Murder At Banquet In New York

New York, Jan. 19.

Police are questioning ten persons, still in their evening clothes, in an effort to identify the slayer of Frank Cicero, 33, official of a garment transportation company of Stamford, Conn., who was stabbed in a melee at a banquet attended by 67 guests last night.

Cicero was talking loudly during Mr. Grover Whalen's speech and, resenting shouted commands to "hush," threw a pitcher.

It started a riot, in which furniture and dishes were smashed, food upset, women knocked down. The fight ended when Cicero fell dead of a knife wound. The weapon was not found.—*United Press*.

## Terrible Cold In Anatolia

Beyoglu, Jan. 18.

Temperature sank to 85 degrees below zero in parts of Anatolia recently, where violent blizzards have accounted for the deaths of 60 peasants.

Large packs of famished wolves are attacking isolated villages.—*Reuter Special*.

## REBELS AT MALAGA

### Del Lano Continues Victorious March

### ENORMOUS CASUALTIES SUFFERED IN SPAIN

Gibraltar, Jan. 19.

General Del Lano, leading the rebels on a victorious thrust towards Malaga, claims to have repulsed a Loyalist counter-attack at Marabella with heavy loss. On the Malaga front, he said, insurgents in recent days had slain 700 of their enemies.

"I can take Malaga whenever I desire and repair my boots with the skin of Malaga's chief leader," this fire-eating veteran asserted.

Rebel troops have entrenched themselves at Fuengirola, within sight of Malaga.—*United Press*.

#### Leftists Attack

Hendaye, Jan. 19.  
Uncensored despatches state that Leftists are delivering a smashing offensive and have penetrated the outskirts of Teruel, 72 miles north-west of Valencia.

An uncensored message from Ceuta says two battalions of Moorish troops, believed to comprise 1,800 men, have embarked in four steamers for Algiers.—*United Press*.

#### Barcelona Shelled

Barcelona, Jan. 19.  
A Rightist warship, thought to be the *Canarias*, bombarded Barcelona, dropping 23 high explosive shells at the naval seaplane base to-day.

One shell struck the deck of a gasoline tanker, injuring an engineer. Shore batteries drove off the raider.—*United Press*.

#### Suffering Heavily

Madrid, Jan. 19.  
Military experts estimate that Rightist losses for the past 24 hours are 1,200 men. Leftists have rushed liquid fire to all sections of the front and desperate fighting is continuing in the Clinico region.—*United Press*.

#### Rebels Progress

London, Jan. 18.  
The smashing advance of the Rightist army under General Del Lano, in the south, which has covered approximately 25 miles towards Malaga in the past four days, constitutes the rebels' most important success in over two months.

But although he has passed Marbella and his troops have held a mass in its main square, General Del Lano has still miles to advance before he comes to the outskirts of Malaga. While Government resistance thus far has been unusually ineffective, it will be no easy task to conquer the seaport at which he aims if the loyal lines stiffen.

Meanwhile, General Francisco Franco's statements indicate the probable slackening of attempts to capture Madrid by means of a frontal assault. Instead, he will likely make an effort to extend his lines around the capital. The investment of the city will be a lengthy process, it is thought.

Berlin and Rome continue to delay their replies to the Franco-British appeal for a decision respecting non-intervention, and thousands of foreign volunteers continue to pour into Spain. It is reliably stated that during the past few days at least 4,000 have landed to join the insurgents and 2,000 have crossed the French frontier to assist the Leftists.

#### Enormous Casualties

Neutral observers in Paris estimate that the first six months of the Spanish war have cost the republic at least 250,000 casualties, plus half the national wealth. It is estimated the lost national income from labour, commerce and farming averages about 1,000,000,000 pesetas weekly. At least 1,200 Frenchmen, and the same number of Russians, Germans and Italians are estimated to have perished on the battlefield.

At the end of 25 weeks of fighting the insurgents claim full or partial control of 32 provinces, plus Spanish Morocco, the Balearic and Canary Islands.

Loyalists claim full control of 18 provinces, the island of Minorca, and (Continued on Page 5.)

Qual d'Orsay confirms the report of an unidentified plane bombing the destroyer *Matillo-Breze*, but this source says ten bombs were dropped. All missed their mark.

The warship continued to Toulon.



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Do them in front of an open window, however cold it is. Use all the energy you have; the exercise is doing you good when it makes you feel a bit tired.

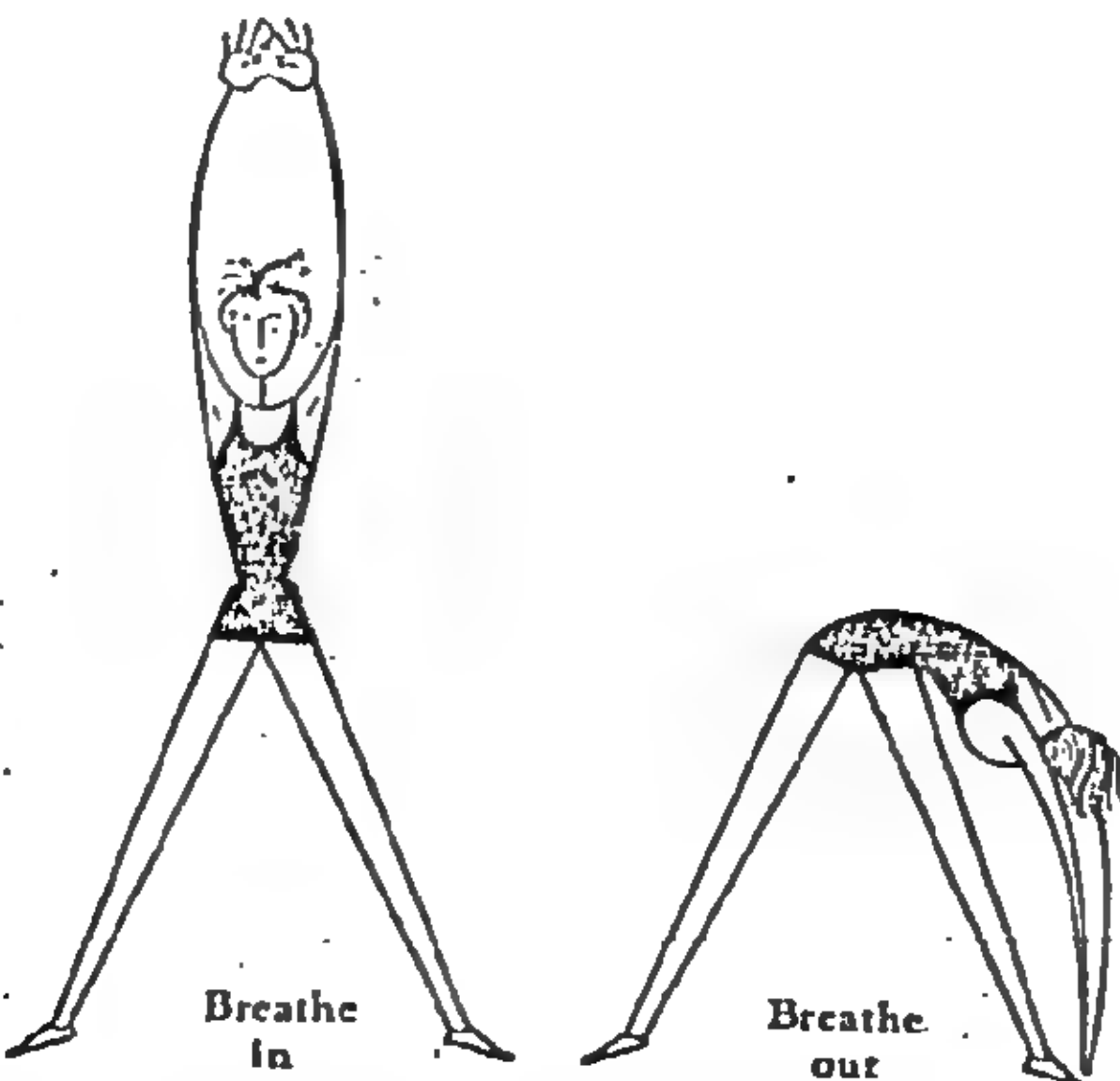
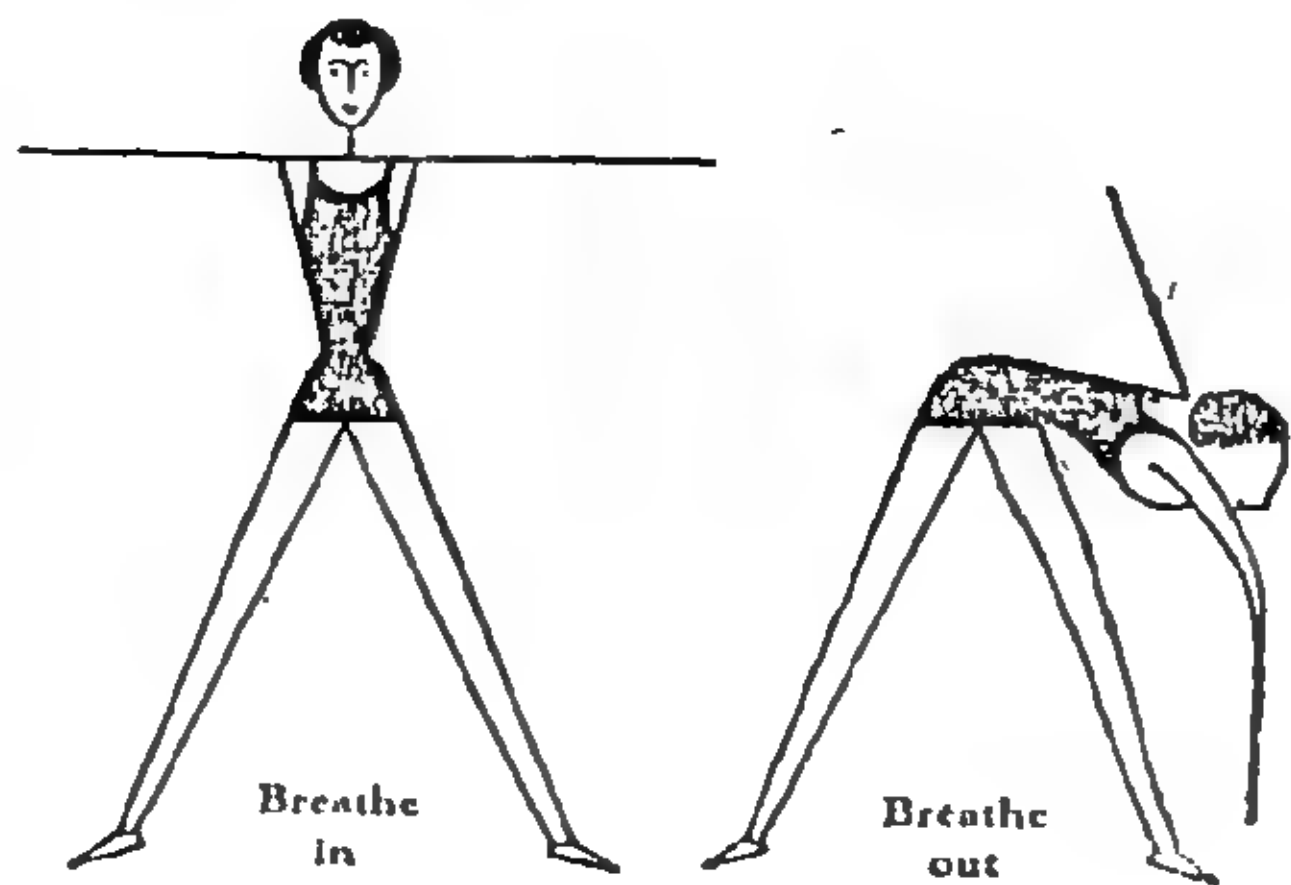
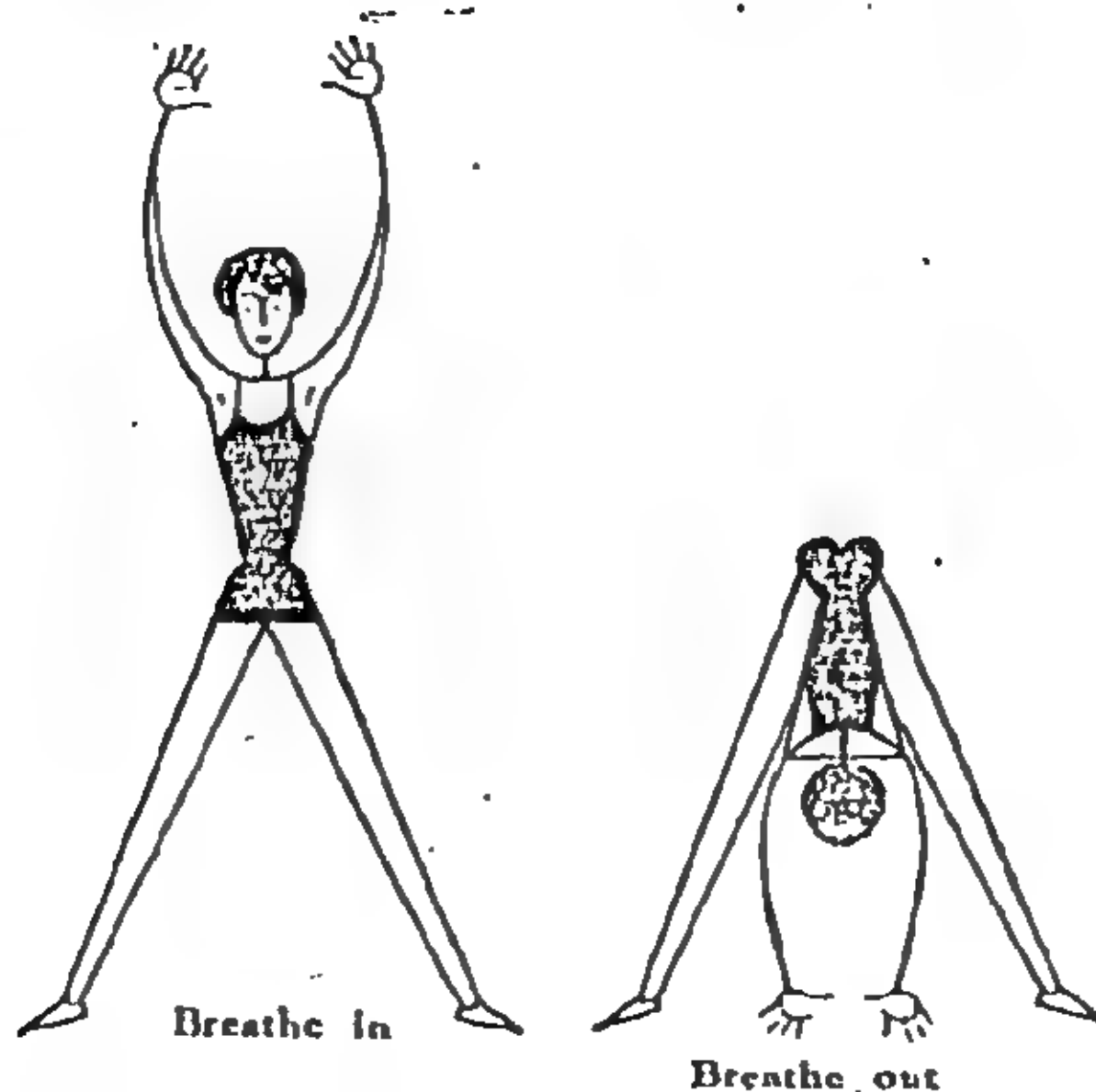
Breathe in through your nose, out through your mouth, and take four or five deep breaths before you start every day.

Do each exercise 10 times (six or eight for the first days) and not so fast that you get out of breath.

You'll only begin to feel the benefit of them when you've been doing them regularly for a bit.

The three exercises stretch your back and thigh muscles to their fullest limit. They will make your legs, body, and particularly the small of your back supple and strong.

- 1 Stand with your feet apart, your arms straight out above your head, and touch the ground with the palms of your hands without bending your knees.
- 2 Feet apart, arms stretched straight out to the side, touch in turn your right foot with your left hand and your left foot with your right hand. Don't bend your knees, stretch your body as much as possible.
- 3 Feet apart, and arms stretched straight up, touch each foot in turn with both hands. Don't bend your knees—stretch your back.



## Brighten up your home with fish

—it's not nearly so silly  
as it sounds

**T**HEY died young, those poor fish of our nursery days—anaemic gold fellows making sad, fishy faces while they gorged on ants' eggs and served a life sentence in narrow glass bowls.

But fish farming to-day, once you know a thing or two, is no trouble at all. In a properly kept aquarium even the water does not need changing. The fish and the plants and the light all maintain a friendly balance of life on their own.

Remember that fish prefer the shady side of life. Place your aquarium so that they see light but not the sun. A window facing north is the very thing. Their food comes in tins all ready for serving, costs from 6d. to 9d.

Though all fish are cold-blooded, those from the tropics need an electric heater thermostatically controlled. This involves extra expense, but you can have a more cosmopolitan gathering—Guppy, Paradise fish, Sailfins, and Zebra fish.

Cold-water fish, on the other hand, should have at least a gallon of water to every inch of fish. Four goldfish, therefore, measuring one and a half inches (this is not a problem sum) would need six gallons of water.

There are many aquariums to choose from. You can have a modest glass affair ranging, according to size, from a few cents to a few dollars.

Then there are elegant apartments with fittings of stainless steel, chromium, burnished copper, bronze or enamel to harmonise with your own particular colour scheme. For these you can pay anything up to \$50.

Fishes are smart for furnishing in America. They'll be decorative wherever you put them here, too.

Before fishes move into their glass house it should be properly furnished and planted out for several days. First comes a layer of aquarium compost for the base of the tank. A five-pound bag costs a few cents. Over this goes coarse aquarium sand, specially sterilised and filtered.

Plants should be firmly planted. Ludwigia, Sagittaria, Vallisneria and Elodea Crispus are a few suggestions and are probably procurable in Hongkong. Realistic, colourful rocks supply the local colour. You can pick them up for next to nothing at a big store.

And now for the fish themselves. Why not start off with goldfish, primrose fish and golden orfe, and perhaps the more expensive baby fantails, shubunkins, peacock-eyed bass and diamond bass, all under half a crown each?

## Dumplings Are Delicious

Corn Meal Dumplings

**T**HESE come from America. The measures are break-fastcupfuls. Mix half a cupful of Indian Corn Meal with a cupful and a half of boiling water, adding a tablespoonful of finely chopped onion and a teaspoonful of salt.

Steam for a couple of hours in a double saucepan, then cool and add two slightly beaten eggs and a tablespoonful of finely chopped parsley.

Shape into small balls, roll them in flour and cook them for ten minutes in boiling soup.

## Sweet Dumplings

**I** AM told these are Chinese. Cream two tablespoonfuls of lard with a breakfastcupful of sugar, add half a pound of freshly grated coconut and a quarter of a pound of chopped almonds. Now mix in half a pound of finely mashed potato and a pound of flour, and make the mixture into small balls and fry them brown in hot fat.

## Name Chart Madoline

Symbol: A child polishing her father's armour

**A** NATURE capable of amazing depth of feeling, and one that would override every difficulty to attain its object, is symbolised in this name.

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Your lucky stone is the ruby. Wear it and you will be successful in love.

Your flower is the geranium, and your lucky number is 9.

## DON'T BELIEVE IT!

—says the Doctor.

**H**EARSAY, not knowledge, is the basis of many everyday "facts," says Dr. August A. Thomen, lecturer in medicine at New York University. To-day he demolishes the popular fallacies.

That it is sensible to expose children to so-called children's diseases (measles, whooping-cough, chicken-pox, and so on), on the assumption that they will get them anyway.

The notion is wholly fallacious, because (1) a mild case may give rise to a serious one; (2) it is not quite true that all should have these ailments at some period of their existence; (3) the seriousness of such ailments is greater, the younger the child; (4) one attack does not necessarily afford protection from a second; and (5) the liability to attack lessens with age.

It should be kept in mind that even when children survive the attacks of these diseases there is always the great danger that some permanent defect may remain, for example, impaired kidneys, or chronic heart disease.

As a result of an attack of scarlet fever at the age of 10 months, Helen Keller was deprived of her senses of sight, hearing and smell.

That reading light must, to be most effective, come from over the left shoulder.

It has been shown by experiment that it does not matter from where the light comes, provided that no shadows are cast upon the page, and that the rays from the light do not enter the eye. The light should be at least 20 degrees away from the direct line of sight, and should be so placed to avoid direct reflections from glossy pages.

The best reading light is that termed "indirect," in which the source of light is hidden, and the rays thrown on to the ceiling. This is similar in effect to daylight.

Research in England has determined a ruling that the weakest light suitable for reading or other close work is eight foot-candles. This means the amount of light that would fall upon a page one foot away from eight standard candles closely grouped.

This is equivalent to the amount of light obtained from a 100-watt unshaded electric lamp, placed two feet from the page. Even more light would still be beneficial, but less light invariably results in a strain of the seeing apparatus, producing a tired feeling of the eyes and sleepiness.

That only so-called weak-willed people can be hypnotised, and that the hypnotist uses great powers of mind and will.

Hypnotism is popularly considered to be a mysterious psychological process by which certain persons possess marvellous powers over the minds and wills of others. It is also incorrectly thought that a new source of energy is transferred to the hypnotised subject from the strong personality of the operator, and that this new strength of mind and body enables him to overcome obstacles ordinarily insurmountable.

Another popular notion is that one can be cured of a habit by being hypnotised and given opposing suggestions. And there are many others.

As a matter of fact, there is nothing mysterious about hypnotism. It is merely a form of artificial sleep. Anyone could hypnotise if he learned a few simple principles. And anyone can be hypnotised provided he knows how to co-operate with the hypnotist.

Dr. James J. Walsh, the eminent psychologist, tells us that hypnotism is "merely a state of mental absorption in which all distracting thoughts are for the moment warded off, and only such thoughts as are suggested by the hypnotist reach the consciousness of the patient."

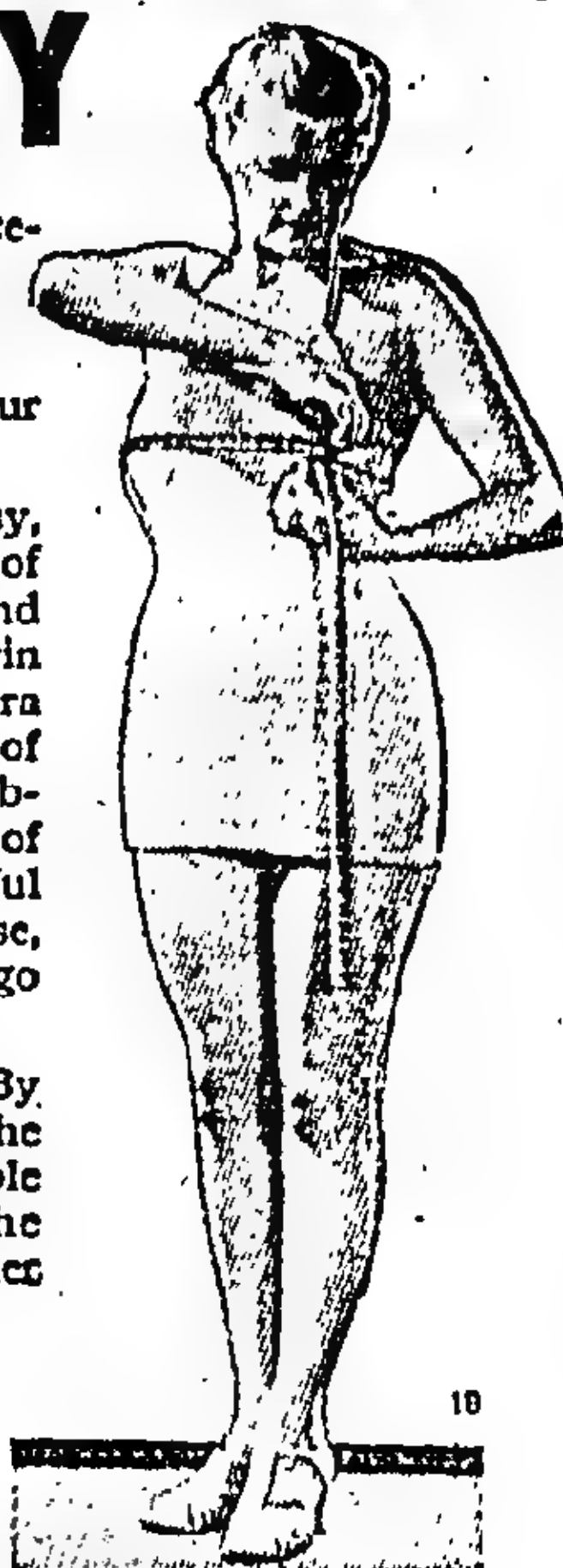
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# "12 DAYS AGO WE'D 120 MEN—NOW 37"

Winston Churchill's Nephew Sends Graphic War Message

## 'WE SHALL WIN —BUT WHAT A VICTORY'

Albacete, Dec. 28.

**ESMOND ROMILLY**, 18-year-old nephew of Mr. Winston Churchill, and a member of one of Britain's oldest families, is winning laurels for his gallantry under fire while serving in the International Brigade, which is fighting for the Spanish Government in defence of Madrid.

Here, in his own words, is a vivid description of life in the front line.

### Ordeal Under Fire

WE'VE just returned after 12 days on the Madrid front. Experiences to date:—

Air bombing of our positions;  
Crossing open-ploughed fields under machine-gun and rifle fire;

Shelling from our own tanks;  
Too much death about everywhere. . . .

Our company started 12 days ago with 120 men. Present strength 37.

This Conversation Piece sums up the way the war is being fought:—

"Can you give me a light for my hand grenade?"

"Sorry, old man, no matches."

This is the land of manna. Sometimes one goes to the wrong front and back again. Madrid, of course, does not look too bright—with continual air raids and heavy bombardment. Three of our people have been killed by dum-dum bullets.

Yesterday in Madrid we saw a British Parliamentary delegation. They seemed amazingly out of place—Tories and Liberals inquiring about the hot coffee.

The section we're in is German. Some of them are desperately brave. Their idea is to walk in front of the tanks like men with red flags in front of trains in 1840.

Worst experience so far—digging in behind trees in a ploughed field under machine-gun fire.

### No Surrender

Then we had the order to duck back to cover. Slipped in a shell hole, and fell—then a shattering roar which nearly blew my ear columns to pieces. It was one of our own tanks firing from five yards behind me.

Most of the people here have now given up the idea that they will ever return to Britain. The figures in our own company tell why.

Naturally we take prisoners, but everyone on our side would shoot himself rather than be taken prisoner.

When we came here I thought we should be in trenches, but there are none at all in our sector.

Whatever the position elsewhere, in our place in the last action we had definitely advanced more than a kilometre during the whole time.

The Government aeroplanes seem to be better now, and chase the enemy bombers away when they appear. Food comes through well.

The militia is officially no more, and I am now, therefore, a member of the Spanish Republican Army. I am sure we shall win, however. . . . But what a victory it will be.

## "Heartbeat Control" in Trance

The claim of Indian mystics to have gained control of their heart-beats by prolonged spiritual exercises has been substantiated, according to two French doctors, C. Laubry and T. Brosse.

The doctors made a special visit to India to take records of the pulse and breathing of Yogis during their meditation, says the *British Medical Journal*.

An electric record of the heartbeats during the trance showed that the manner in which the heart acted was completely altered. Then, when the Yogi quietly announced he had won control of the heart, the record suddenly became normal. At times the pulse of the wrists vanished.

After taking a deep breath the Yogi could remain for five minutes without drawing another.

## TWICE AS MANY GERMAN U-BOATS AS IN 1914

EARLY this year Germany will have a submarine fleet twice as large as she had at the outbreak of the war in 1914.

The Naval Year Book for 1937 just published says, the fleet will include twenty-four U-boats of 250 tons, ten of 500 tons, and two of 712 tons each.



First photo from Shensi where civil war has broken out again. The picture shows Chinese soldiers in a trench near Sianfu.

## HOW LORD PEEL ESCAPED KIDNAP

Jerusalem, Jan. 10.

IT was established to-day that a plot to kidnap Earl Peel, chairman of the royal commission on the Palestine revolt, lay behind the hold-up by Arabs on the Jericho road last night.

Lord Peel escaped by less than half an hour.

Three Arabs, armed with modern revolvers, carried out the hold-up among the Judean hills just outside Jerusalem.

Lord Peel was returning from Jericho.

The brigands piled up large rocks in the road under the limestone cliffs. Five cars were held up, all containing British residents.

An Australian ex-officer employed by the Palestine Government was in one car.

When he swore at a brigand who wanted to take his gun away the raiders made him take off his coat, waistcoat and shirt, and stand shivering in the mountain air with a revolver pointed at him.

An English "eyes-witness" of the hold-up said: "Just as we came round the bend we saw the road blocked with boulders."

"The Arabs asked, 'Are you Jews?' We said 'No.' Had we been Jews they would have shot us."

"I believe they knew that Lord Peel was returning this way."

## WOMAN ACCUSED OF ARMS PLOT

French Foreign  
Office Arrest

Paris, Jan. 10.

A SENSATION was caused in French diplomatic circles to-day by the arrest of Mlle. Suzanne Linder, one of the most trusted secretaries at the French Foreign Office, on a charge of forging documents to facilitate the export of arms to the Spanish Reds.

Michael Rosenfeld, known to be her friend—a wealthy resident of one of the most fashionable parts of Paris—has also been arrested for alleged complicity.

I understand that after the arrest of Rosenfeld an agent of the Spanish Red Government, carrying with him full powers for the purchase of war material, was found in his office in the Avenue Carnot, in the Etoile district, says a Correspondent.

### SHIPLOAD OF ARMS

The formal charges against the arrested persons are:

Rosenfeld.—Usage of false passports and failure to comply with an expulsion order.

Mlle. Linder.—Forgery of public documents and imitation of important signatures.

It is alleged that the proposed plot was to permit the departure from a French port for Mexico of a large shipload of arms destined later for Spain.

A steamer which was at anchor in Marseilles was at first unable to leave. Then suddenly permission arrived from Paris.

### HYPNOTIC EYES

Mlle. Linder, a blonde, who is described as having pale blue "hypnotic" eyes, is a niece of the late M. Philippe Berthelot, former Secretary-General to the French Foreign Ministry, and the power behind Mr. Briand during his long tenure of the Foreign Ministry.

A close friend of Mlle. Linder to-night told me some details of her early life.

Joining the staff as a girl, she has been a secretary in vital departments of the French Foreign Office for nearly a quarter of a century.

### GOLDEN HAIR

"Many diplomats of 20 years ago will remember vividly the slim, meticulously dressed girl with the long golden hair," I was told.

"Of striking appearance, and always perfectly dressed, Mlle. Linder quickly made influential friends, and within a few years was a sort of power in French diplomacy, and became a well-known figure in diplomatic and political circles."

Some years ago at an inquiry in connection with certain documents at the Foreign Office she was asked some pointed questions, but was cleared.

Rosenfeld is a man of 35 who has described himself to his friends as "the modern Sir Basil Zaharoff." Good looking and always well dressed, he had a suite at a famous hotel in the centre of Paris.

## Officer To Pay His Wife Maintenance

Melbourne, Jan. 10.

Mrs. Dewar, wife of Lieutenant Dewar, an Australian Army officer, has been awarded a maintenance allowance of 50s. a week against her husband.

Lieutenant Dewar was the officer who travelled to Australia from India in the same ship as Mrs. M. M. Freer, whose admission to Australia was banned.

Mrs. Freer's exclusion caused controversy, but the ban was maintained and she went to New Zealand.

## Chinese Rail Order Goes To Germany

Berlin, Jan. 10.

Germany has obtained a £2,333,000 railway order from China. The order is on a credit basis. Germany will grant China a loan bearing six per cent. interest and repayable between 1942 and 1946.

The German firms sharing in the contract include Krupp, Stahlunion, Otto Wolf and Feroch. They will rebuild the Peking-Hankow line, and lay a railway between Chuchow (Hunan Province) and Kweliang (Kweichow Province).



Peggy Gurren photographed at Lake Placid, the popular winter-sport resort at New York.

## PRINCESS ELIZABETH MAY GO TO INDIA

THERE is every likelihood that the King and Queen will spend Christmas next year in India.

Plans are being made to hold the Coronation Durbar at Delhi next December. There is a suggestion that Princess Elizabeth may accompany her parents and so see part of the Empire over which she may one day reign, but nothing definite has been decided.

Details arranged for Edward VIII's visit have had to be drastically revised, and it will be some time before the preliminary arrangements have been completed.

In the absence of the King and Queen in India a Council of State consisting of Queen Mary, the Duke of Gloucester, and the Duke of Kent will be set up.

## BETTER NATIONAL ANTHEM

Coronation Provides Chance  
To "Purge The Blots"

A Manchester correspondent of the *Observer* writes:—

The Coronation festivities, now so close at hand, are likely to be on a greater scale than ever in the history of our Empire, and our National Anthem will be called for at numerous gatherings, not only of people of our own blood, but of our fellow-citizens of every race, creed, and colour throughout the King's Dominions, and I write to suggest that now, at the crowning of our new King, is the time to make at least some slight improvement in the wording of the Anthem, and to purge it of some of its great blots.

Consider that verse which runs:—  
Old Lord our God arise,  
Scatter his enemies,  
And make them fall!

Confound their politics,  
Frustrate their knavish tricks,  
&c.,

and remember at the same time that this is supposed to be a solemn prayer to God for the preservation of our King.

Is such language worthy of this great nation and of that high tradition for good taste with which the whole world so recently has honoured us? To me it seems gross vulgarity, and should be expunged immediately from our national anthology.

I do not think the nation wants an entirely new Anthem. The present one, slightly but fittingly altered, would be accepted gladly, and a couple of verses would be enough.

Will no one, amongst the thousands so well qualified to do so, take up the task? I am only an ordinary unknown man and have no wish whatever to press my ideas upon my fellows, but I give here a short amended version, hoping that it may induce some able writer to suggest a thoroughly satisfactory National Anthem suitable for people of all races, religions, and classes in the Empire.

God save our chosen King!  
God bless our lawful King!  
God save the King!

Crown him victorious,  
Gracious and glorious,  
Wise to reign over us,  
God save the King!

Thy richest gifts in store  
On him be pleased to pour,  
Oh! bless his reign!  
May he our laws defend,  
And, to his journey's end,  
Lord, with Thy grace attend  
And bless our King.

## Father Shoots Faithless Lover

Belgrade, Jan. 10.

BEAUTIFUL Milla Dimitrijevic, just 21, member of one of the highest families of Belgrade, shot herself because her lover jilted her.

To-day, while giving evidence at the inquest, her father whipped out a revolver, fired twice at the lover, Zvezozar Stojanovich, aged 30, seriously wounding him, then turned the weapon on himself.

All Belgrade is to-night discussing Milla's love drama and its sensational sequel.

It was six days ago that Milla killed herself on the pavement outside her parents' home.

Stojanovich, rich son of a former assistant Finance Minister, told the police he was infatuated with Milla and she bored him.

Milla's father, infuriated by the fact that, although a high Government official himself, he had not the money to provide his daughter with the dowry necessary for marriage according to Yugoslav custom, intended that these words should seal Stojanovich's death-warrant.

## Wife Hears M.P. Quoted In Church, Walks Out

Glasgow, Jan. 10.

MRS. JOHN MCGOVERN, wife of the M.P. for Shettleston, rose in St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church, Parkhead, to-day, with her eight-year-old son, walked to the door while the priest in the pulpit stopped his address and a packed congregation sat silent, and before going out turned and said:—

## What Mr. McGovern Said

Mr. McGovern, who is a member of St. Michael's Church, and one of four L.P. members of Parliament, speaking in Glasgow on December 13, said:—

"Domination by the Church has never been so complete as it has been in Spain."

"Even if it means the end of me politically, I shall still take the same stand. I say to Catholics that I am prepared to accept the clergy when they confine themselves to spiritual and moral teaching. When they step into the arena of politics they have got to take the same knocks as I take."

## "Just As Much A War Victim And A Hero"

Wounded in the head while serving in H.M.S. *Vindictive* in 1918, Thomas Pepper, aged 38, died recently from a seizure at his home at Tonbridge.

At the inquest it was stated that Pepper received a compound commuted fracture of the skull and laceration of the brain.

Medical evidence showed that death was due to a rupture of a cyst beneath a shrapnel scar.

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"You go to church to hear the word of God, and you hear nothing but political and Fascist propaganda."

Mrs. McGovern said, "My son and I were kneeling at the front. After reading the Gospel, the priest laid down his prayer-book. He took up a piece of cardboard, which had pasted on it a newspaper cutting. He began to read it."

"The words were: 'Since I was eighteen years of age I have fought against clerical domination.'"

"I recognised them as having been uttered by my husband at a meeting last Sunday. I did not want my son to hear what the priest was saying about my husband, and rose and walked out."

Mr. McGovern said, "Scores of people have told me that anti-McGovern propaganda has been preached Sunday after Sunday in this church."

RIGHT OF REPLY  
"I have no objection to being attacked politically so long as it is done by people to whom I can reply. I resent its being done in the hearing of an audience that I might never have an opportunity of addressing."

"I told Monsignor Daly, vicar-general of the archdiocese, that if these pulpits attacks on me continued I should be bound to take the issue to the public, and just show them how the Catholic workers are being dominated by the Church."

Natural Causes, Mr. J. H. Soudy, deputy Coroner, said:—

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Mercantile Bank, C., £14 1/4 n.  
East Asia Bank, —  
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Shell (Bearer), £34 1/4 X. Div. n.  
Union Waterboats, —  
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New Engineering, Sh. \$4 n.  
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Kailan Mining Ad., 16/9 n.  
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Baguio Gold, \$57 1/2  
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Sandakan Lights, \$10 n.  
Telephone (old), \$30.25 n.  
Telephone (new), \$104 n.  
China Buses, Sh. \$11 1/2 n.  
Singapore Pref., 27/— n.  
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Cald: Macr. (old), Sh. \$19 1/2 n.  
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There have been varied reactions in Congress to the Handy and Harmon's recommendation for the repeal of the Silver Purchase Act.

Representative Scrugham, of Nevada: "It is nothing more than a comment from private bullion dealers, and therefore it is precluded."

Representative Murdock of Utah: "The adoption of the Silver Purchase Act was a real step forward in the monetary policy. If it has failed, it is because of half-hearted administration by the Treasury."

Representative Robinson of Utah asserted the Western States would oppose any efforts to repeal the Act. "I think the measure accomplished much for the West, and has given us a higher silver price," he declared.

United Press.

### MANILA SHARES

The following opening quotations and closing business done quotations of the morning session were received by Swan, Culbertson & Fritz from their Manila office:

Prices in Pesos

Antamoks, \$1.80

Atoks, \$92

Baguio Gold, \$57 1/2

Balatoc Min., \$24 1/2

Benquet Consola, P. 14

Benquet Expl., P. 22 1/2

Big Wedges, P. 41

Coco Grove, P. 99

Consolidated Mines, P. 944

Demonstrations, \$1.62/63 sa.

E. Mindanao, \$70/74

Ipo Gold, P. 31 1/2

I. X. L., P. 1.85

Itogons, \$3.00

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

### YESTERDAY'S CABLED QUOTATIONS.

The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London on January 18. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

Last Today's Price Price

100% War Loan 102 1/2 102 1/2

4 1/2% Govt Bonds 102 1/2 102 1/2

4 1/2% Loan 1908 100 100

4 1/2% Loan 1912 100 100

4 1/2% Loan 1915 100 100

4 1/2% Loan 1918 100 100

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4 1/2% Loan 2008 100 100

4 1/2% Loan 2011 100 100

4 1/2% Loan 2014 100 100

4 1/2% Loan 2017 100 100

4 1/2% Loan 2020 100 100

4 1/2% Loan 2023 100 100

4 1/2% Loan 2026 100 100

4 1/2% Loan 2029 100 100

4 1/2% Loan 2032 100 100

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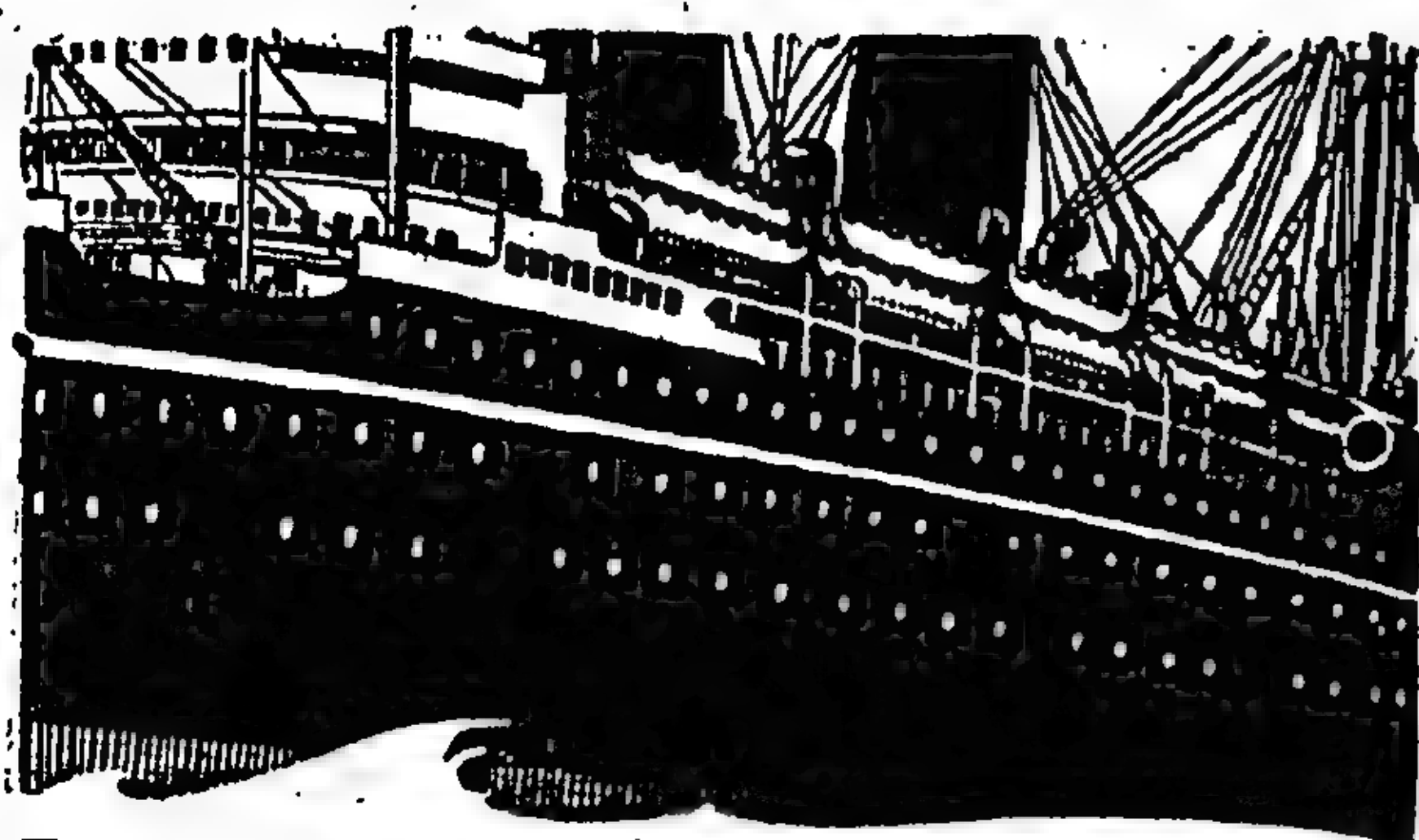
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RAWALPINDI	17,000	6th Feb.	Marseilles & London.
*MIRZAPORE	7,000	8th Feb.	Bombay & Karachi.
CORFU	14,500	20th Feb.	Marseilles & London.
*BHUTAN	6,000	27th Feb.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
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SANTHA	8,000	13th Mar.	
TALMA	10,000	27th Mar.	

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NELLORE	7,000	30th Jan.	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart.
TANDA	7,000	6th Mar.	
NANKIN	7,000	3rd Apr.	

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SHIRALA	8,000	21st Jan.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.
CORFU	14,000	21st Jan.	
*BHUTAN	6,000	23rd Jan.	
*BEHAR	6,000	1st Feb.	
TANDA	7,000	3rd Feb.	
TILAWA	10,000	4th Feb.	
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## WILL SERVE IN NEW GAOL

### YEAR'S SENTENCE FOR ASSAULT

Found guilty by the jury on a charge of assault with intent to rob, Wong Chau, 25, street cooler, was at the Criminal Sessions this morning sentenced to 12 months' hard labour by the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor.

Accused was also charged with common assault. He pleaded guilty to this count and was sentenced to three months' hard labour, concurrent.

Mr. E. H. Williams, Assistant Attorney-General, appeared for the prosecution. The following comprised the jury: Messrs. G. Anderson (foreman), W. S. Hillier, A. L. S. Road, D. Mackenzie, Wong Tat-ping, W. F. Ford and Wong Oi-kut.

Mr. Williams said the complainant, Ngai Kwai-hing was 24 years of age and was the son of an owner of a vegetable stall in Waterloo Road. He was a student in Canton and had come down about three weeks before the day of the incident, December 18, to assist his father in collecting accounts. About 4 p.m. on the day in question he went out to collect various sums from stall-holders who owed his father money, carrying with him a canvas bag. After he had collected \$10.28, he returned to his father's stall, but on turning round the corner of Arrian Street, he was set upon by a man who came up from behind.

At the same time another man, the accused, came up from his left side and attempted to snatch the canvas bag from him. Ngai struggled with his assailants, and accused struck him on the left arm, apparently with the intention of forcing him to let go his hold on the bag.

Finding that they could not snatch the bag, the men attempted to run away. Accused was chased by complainant and after running a short distance, he was arrested by a Chinese constable.

When formally charged, accused said he assaulted complainant on the instructions of a man named Lam Shi who promised him \$3 for doing so. He denied he had intended to rob complainant.

Complainant gave evidence, corroborating what counsel had said, after which Ngai Kwai-hing, the father, testified that he had never seen accused before.

After formal evidence had been given by Liu Sing, Constable C38, who arrested accused, Inspector A. H. Elston, and Leung Kin-wing, Police interpreter, prisoner made a statement from the dock, reiterating what he had said at the Police Station.

Without retiring, the jury found prisoner guilty, and in passing sentence, His Lordship said: "You will spend the next twelve months in the new prison at Stanley with hard labour."

Accused admitted two previous convictions for larceny.

## DIED IN HOUSE OF DETENTION

### NATURAL CAUSES VERDICT

A month-and-a-half after he had been committed to the House of Detention for being a destitute, an Indian named Lail Singh, aged 35, died. At the Central Magistrate's Court this morning, Mr. K. Keen sitting as Coroner conducted an inquiry into the man's death.

The Chief Warden of Victoria Gaol, Mr. H. Barrett, stated that deceased was committed to the House of Detention on December 1 and died in the Gaol Hospital on January 17.

Dr. G. I. Shaw, medical officer of the Gaol, said he first examined deceased on December 2 last and found that the man was suffering from a chronic form of enteritis. His condition was very poor. The man was admitted to the Gaol Hospital on the same day and died at 3.50 a.m. on January 17. A post mortem was performed and cause of death was found to be tuberculous enteritis.

A verdict of death from natural causes, was returned by a jury comprising Messrs. Harold Selh (foreman), Chan Yau-kei, and Kwan Shau-lung.

### EGYPTIAN MATTERS

London, Jan. 18. It was confirmed in London to-day that the Egyptian Government has issued invitations to interested Governments to attend a conference at Montreux on April 12 to negotiate for the abolition of the regime of the Capitulations in Egypt and the institution of a period of transition for mixed courts.—British Wireless.

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## TAILOR SENT TO PRISON

### PICKED POCKET OF PEDESTRIAN

Lam Chi, aged 33, a tailor, was charged before Mr. J. A. Fraser at the Central Magistrate's Court this morning with the larceny of \$100 in Hong-kong currency from Yung Yim-sum, aged 37, a shop-keeper, in Queen's Street near Des Voeux Road West on Monday.

Inspector M. H. Hourihan, prosecuting, said that about 2 p.m. yesterday, Yung was walking along the street when defendant brushed past him. He felt a slight touch at his pocket, and on putting his hand in, found the \$100 to have disappeared. Defendant was then walking away in front, and Yung suspected him and caught him.

Lam threw the notes to the ground, broke free from the complainant, commenced to run away. Yung gave chase after picking up his money, and with the help of detective C515, arrested defendant. Inspector Hourihan handed up defendant's police record, which showed that he was a time-expired banished.

Defendant pleaded for leniency, and said he had taken the money on the spur of the moment.

Sentence of six weeks' hard labour was imposed.

## NEW COLONIAL APPOINTMENTS

London, Jan. 18. H. M. the King has appointed Mr. Henry Bradshaw Popham, Administrator of Dominica, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Windward Islands, succeeding Sir Grier, shortly retiring.

His Majesty has also approved the appointment of Mr. John Hathorn Hall, Chief Secretary of Palestine, to be British Resident for the Zanzibar Protectorate, succeeding Sir R. Bankine, shortly retiring.—British Wireless.

## EXPLORERS ARE SAFE

London, Jan. 19. The Foreign Office is in receipt of a message from the Governor of the Falkland Islands, relayed from H.M.S. Ajax, to the effect that the party of British surveyors from the ship Discovery II, missing for some days on Antarctic exploration work, has been located and has returned aboard its ship.—Reuter.

## CAMPAIGN FOR MORE SHIPS

Washington, Jan. 18. The Maritime Commission is seeking to stimulate the construction of new vessels to meet foreign competition and create an efficient reserve for national defence purposes, and it is announced that henceforth none of the Government's laid up merchantmen are to be sold.—United Press.

### MINISTERS CONFER

London, Jan. 18. On the eve of the reassembly of Parliament, Ministers were busy in their departments to-day, and the Prime Minister had consultations with the Air Secretary, Lord Swinton, the Lord President of the Council, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, and the Dominions Secretary, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, among others of his colleagues.—British Wireless.

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## STRIKE RIOTS IN MICHIGAN

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Association that it must conclude the strike or President Roosevelt would appoint arbitrators.

Competent observers point out that these are all indications that President Roosevelt is working behind the scenes.—United Press.

### SEAMEN'S DEMANDS

Washington, Jan. 18. Carrying placards demanding an amendment to the Copeland Act, 1,200 striking seamen from New York, Baltimore, Norfolk and Philadelphia marched in orderly fashion to the Department of Commerce building, escorted by heavy police details and demanded an interview with Mr. Daniel Roper, the Secretary of Commerce.

However, officials of the Department told the demonstrators that they did not have the necessary appointment with the Secretary.—United Press.

### PROPOSALS REJECTED

San Francisco, Jan. 18. The I.L.A. to-day rejected the Shipowners Association's proposals, and have submitted a counter-proposition offering to renew the 1934 Arbitration Agreement on condition it is modified as follows:

- (1) That wages should be \$1 per hour instead of 95 cents as at present.
- (2) To increase checkers' wages.
- (3) Preferential employment for union men.

Said the I.L.A.:—"In the event of your notifying us that this plan is acceptable to you, the plan will be submitted in referendum to the executive board for their favourable recommendation."

Meanwhile, the marine cooks and stewards with the shipowners discussed hours and wages, while it is reported that the radiomen are nearing a complete agreement. Another major issue still hanging fire is the demand of the firemen engineers, masters and mates for preferential hiring.—United Press.

## NEW GOVERNOR FOR HONGKONG NAMED

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Deputy Controller of Labour in 1927, and in the following year was appointed Secretary of Postal Affairs for the Straits Settlements and F.M.S.

Sir Andrew became acting British Resident at Negri Sembilan in 1929, of Perak in 1930, and of Selangor in 1931. In the latter year, he was acting Chief Secretary to the F.M.S. Government, and in 1932 was super-numerary staff officer of the rank of Chief Secretary to the Government.

In December, 1933, he was appointed Colonial Secretary of the Straits Settlements, a post which he held until he came to Hongkong.

A man of culture, Sir Andrew Caldecott is the author of "History of Jelapah" and numerous articles on Malayan subjects, and in addition to writing is fond of music and painting. He is also a keen tennis and golf player.

In 1918, Sir Andrew Caldecott married Miss Olive May Innes, a daughter of Mr. J. R. Innes, C.M.S., who was for many years in the Straits Settlements Civil Service and was retired on pension in 1919. There is one son and one daughter by the marriage.

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## REBELS AT MALAGA

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foothold on the Bay of Biscay, and a mountainous strip nominally belonging to the Northern Basques.

Observers estimate that 80 per cent. of General Franco's original North African army have been killed or wounded, and that the siege of Madrid has cost both sides 100,000 killed and wounded.—United Press.

### Another Estimate

London, Jan. 18.

Over 40,000 foreigners are at present fighting for the Spanish Government and roughly 32,000 for General Franco, according to the latest estimates compiled here.

It is believed Russians in Spain do not exceed 1,000 and that almost all of them are technicians. The precise number of French volunteers is unknown, but it is reported to be as high as 20,000. The remainder of foreigners on the Government side are of various European nationalities, including dissident Germans, Italians and probably 1,000 British.

The bulk of the Government's foreign volunteers are without military training, but General Franco's foreign contingent, allegedly 12,000 Germans and 20,000 Italians, are mostly trained.—Reuter.

### POPE RESTS WELL

Vatican City, Jan. 18. His Holiness the Pope spent a good night and his condition remains unchanged.—Reuter Bulletin Service.

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TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1937.

NOT THE BEST  
METHOD

Is disregard of solemn obligations the right or only way of rectifying grievances and inequalities among the nations? This question is raised by the German announcement that the Kiel Canal, which was internationalised under the Treaty of Versailles, is no longer to be open to foreign warships. The move has not caused surprise, as it is regarded as an inevitable consequence of the denunciation of the navigation clauses of the Peace Treaty by Germany in November last. Admitting that the matter is not of first-class importance, apprehension is none the less felt at the tactics once again adopted by Germany in getting rid of irksome restrictions. Such methods definitely strike a blow at the sanctity of treaty obligations, which is not only a fundamental principle of the Covenant of the League of Nations but which must be the basis of any system of international law. Germany's answer would be that the treaty obligations which she is casting aside are unfair and place her in a position of inferiority; that she was ready in the past to press her claims to equality of status in a reasonable and open manner; that all her pleas were ignored; and, therefore, the only road open to her, to secure justice, was to wash her hands of the Disarmament Conference, break away from the League of Nations, denounce her disarmament clauses of the Peace Treaty, re-occupy the demilitarised zone of the Rhineland, and, in general, take all that she wanted by other than diplomatic means. Few would deny that there is, in fact, a substratum of truth in these arguments, since many things have been done since the Great War to try Germany's patience. Nevertheless, Germany has also proved, on occasions, an awkward customer in negotiations and has sometimes broken off discussions at the very moment when they seemed likely to bear fruit. In the case of the waterways, Mr. Eden recently pointed out that negotiations for a change in the regime were actually proceeding and had already met with a large measure of success. During the past year, abundant evidence has been provided that

SCIENCE OF  
THE STARS

Like all Social Sciences,  
Astrology is Based on  
Empirical Laws, says  
K. B. VAIDYA

IN an article reproduced from a London paper in the *Telegraph* of January 11 last embodying a review of a book called "You and Your Star" by that World-famous Seer, "Cheiro," the venerable science of Astrology has been treated to a feast of ridicule by the reviewer of the book and is made to appear as if it is one of the hoaxes played on humanity through centuries of its existence.

In doing this, however, the reviewer has not been able to display a sense of critical talent and has betrayed a definite lack of understanding the very basis and scope of the science. And above all what is lacking grievously in the reviewer is the sympathy with his subject which any reviewer must bring to bear on the subject which he presumes to criticise.

In the article referred to above, the writer has not in the first place understood his subject at all and landed himself in a ridiculous position of hopelessly mixing together Astrology and Numerology in his treatment.

Though there is a large amount of correlation between Astrology (Science of the Planets and Stars) and Numerology (Science of Numbers) and although each of the numbers has been assigned to a particular planet, it should be understood that each of the planets or stars has to be expressed through a sign of the Zodiac in which he may be placed in any nativity (horoscope of a person) cast for the exact time of birth, while each of the numbers has to be interpreted in relation to the month and the year concerned with each person.

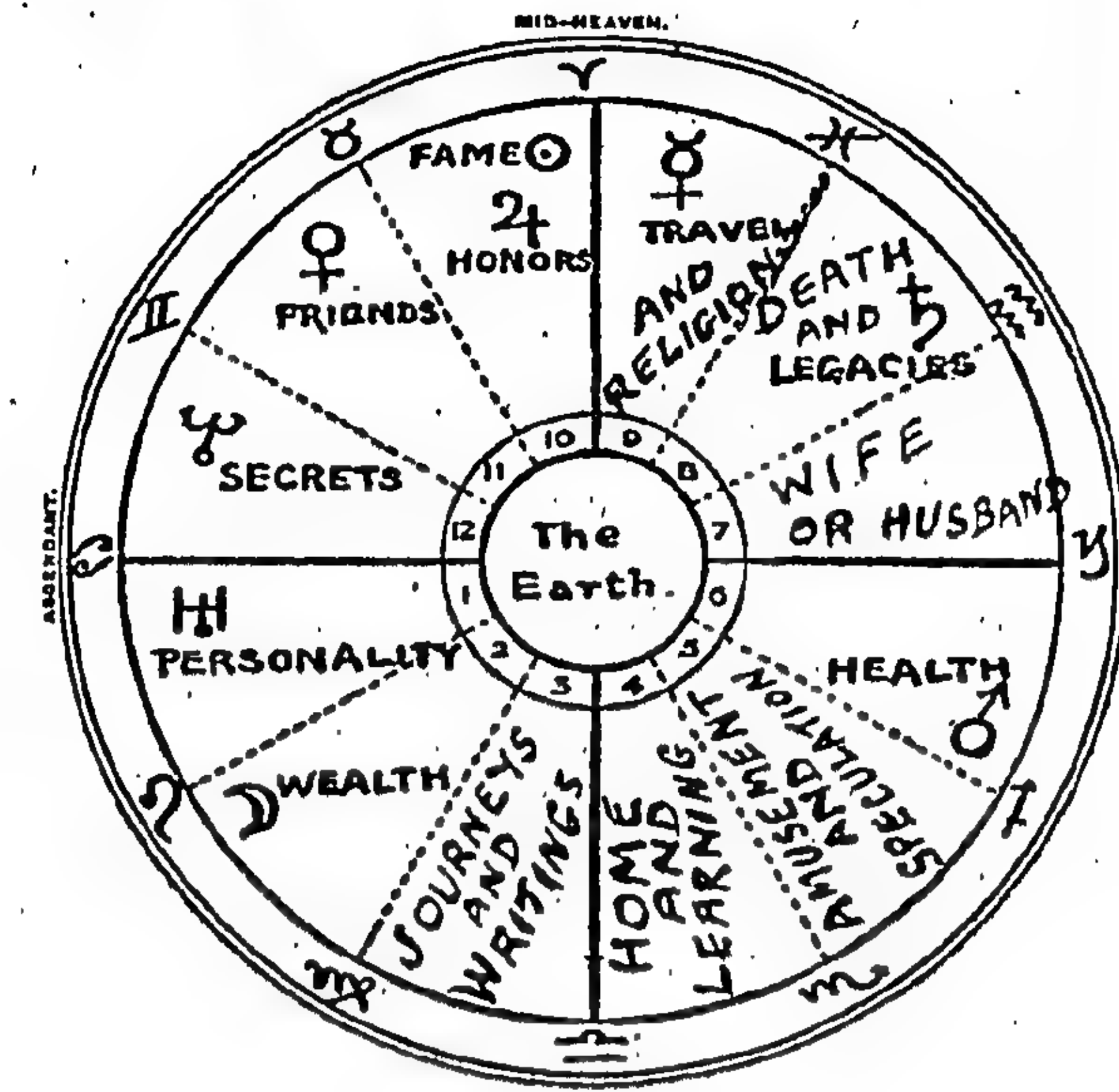
Consequently when the final interpretation of their effects on human beings is to be considered, there are different methods and different rules usually applied in the case of the two sciences.

But the reviewer has not even touched the fringe of Astrology and has concentrated his light-hearted criticism to Numerology on the false impression that Numerology is Astrology itself. This is obviously as ridiculous as to say that a room of a house is the house itself. (Incidentally, the writer of that article has not neglected to take whatever credit there is for himself of the delineation given for persons born in April.)

In the same way, Astrology is not Palmistry with which it is so often wrongly mixed up, as Palmistry concerns itself with the study of the lines and mounts on man's palms and of the formation of man's hands and their fingers.

THE article in question, however, shows how attempts are made to discredit the science even in the present times of enlightenment. And just as a few quacks have done the science incalculable harm, so have reck-

"peaceful change" can be achieved by friendly negotiation. Turkey behaved in a perfectly correct way in asking for the revision of the Straits Convention, with the result that a satisfactory agreement was reached at Montreux. Great Britain and Egypt were able to settle their longstanding differences by similar methods. Blunderbuss diplomacy is not the only way to settle international disputes. It is, in fact, the least satisfactory way, since it inevitably stirs up friction, suspicion and hostility.



social sciences it can never be considered as perfect.

In Metaphysics, in Logic, in Psychology and even in Sociology and Economics, we find the same basis and method of procedure as in Astrology, and if these other sciences deserve to be man's attention, we do not see why Astrology which follows the same method should not.

In Astrology, besides, there is the co-mingling of the two different bodies—those of men on this earth and of the astral beings in the ether—and the influences of these bodies on human mind and body should in reality form the basis of an interesting study.

The ancient people who were the children of Nature applied themselves to this interesting study and have, by long observations and experiences, arrived at their conclusions which form the basis of further continuous study. Thus if the science of Astronomy has to be relied upon, then the science of Astrology also makes a strong claim for man's acceptance. And just as the Sun's rising and setting, or the appearance or disappearance of Halley's Comet has been explained by centuries of observation that is due to the rotation of the earth both on its axis and round the sun, so are the observations of the students of Astrology accepted about the effect of the astral beings on men on this earth.

Nothing in the Universe is without purpose, and therefore do people think that the stars and planets exist in the sky without any purpose? Even up to the time of Galileo and Copernicus it was not accepted in Astronomy that the earth is revolving or that it is round and that it has magnetic power to attract bodies thrown away from it, and Galileo had to suffer as a heretic. But now we accept these as undeniable truths. So is the case with Astrological laws.

IF any tangible proofs about the effects of the stars and planets on the physical world are to be given, it is to be noted that the tides of the sea are caused by the rise and setting of the moon; that at the time of high tide, the blood from a wound on a man's body would ooze out in larger quantities than at the low tide; that the sun-flower (sun-lotus) opens up when the sun rises, and closes itself automatically when the sun sets and follows the direction of the sun's course throughout the day; that the moon proceeds on the scientific method of laying down laws the moon; and that the sun's rays are considered as the most powerful source of health and healing. And if any further proofs are necessary, it may be mentioned that the very existence of the animal and vegetable kingdoms is due to the sun's rays without which there will be no life.

Given correct time of birth and place, fairly correct predictions may be made by duly qualified and experienced astrologers and an indication of the character and capacity of different men can be ascertained.

But man has got also his will-power to exercise to some extent and it is for him to take caution when evil is indicated and go full speed ahead when good is shown. And the fact of the hundreds of thousands of people in all parts of the world have devoted their time and energies to the study and practice of the science of Astrology, apart from the professional ones who make a living out of it, shows that it is not merely a mad search or a burlesque of superstition.

Centuries of intensive and extensive study has raised Astrology to a high level in non-experimental sciences, and if people apply themselves sympathetically to a proper study of it, they will find enough to interest therein and enough to benefit humanity in various ways.



# NEW AIR SQUADRONS FOR EAST

## Essential For Defence Of Singapore & Hongkong

### EXPANSION PLANS READY TO BE PUT INTO EFFECT

## Three Major Difficulties Now Removed

THE addition of several new squadrons to the Far East Command of the Royal Air Force will be announced officially in the near future, a London source discloses.

Although the Far East Command is geographically the largest in the Empire its present strength is limited to the four squadrons based on Seletar.

Experts have expressed the view that at least 12 squadrons are urgently needed to provide an adequate aerial defence of Singapore and Hongkong, and to protect British trade routes in the Far East.

Present plans, it is believed, provide for the establishment this year of at least one squadron at each of the following centres:

Tengah (Singapore Island)  
Penang.  
Nicobar Islands (Bay of Bengal)  
Kai Tak (Hongkong)  
Pat Hwang (Hongkong).

Later, more squadrons will be based at Sembawang (Singapore Island), at various strategic centres in Malaya, and possibly in Borneo and Burma.

## IMPORTANCE OF BORNEO

ALTHOUGH this expansion has been under consideration for some time past, and the early establishment of R.A.F. stations at Penang and the Nicobars has already been semi-officially announced, the Air Ministry was unable to expedite its Far East programme to any extent until 1937.

Three main factors were responsible for the delay—

(1) The Washington Treaty, under the terms of which any increase of Pacific fortifications east of Singapore was prohibited.

(2) The lack of suitable landing grounds, aerodromes, and repair shops in the Far East.

(3) The prior necessity of strengthening the Home Squadrons, preceded by the Mediterranean crisis and the announcement of Germany's vast expansion programme.

All three difficulties have been removed either partially or in whole. The Washington Treaty expired with the end of last year.

Two aerodromes, complete with the latest military equipment, are nearing completion at Hongkong. Landing grounds have been laid down in British North Borneo and Sarawak. The aerodromes at Penang and Kuala Lumpur have been reconstructed so that heavy torpedo-bombers can land and take-off. Aerodrome sites in other parts of Malaya have been secretly surveyed.

Aero-factories in Great Britain, working day and night, have reached a stage of production that will enable the R.A.F. Home expansion programme to be fulfilled in a few months, and already a degree of "security" has been obtained which was undreamt of two years ago.

**HOME DEFENCE**  
Although about 50 new squadrons are nominally added to Home Defence in the official expansion programme, the actual progress of expansion is considerably larger than appears on the surface.

In various squadrons the number of planes comprising the squadrons has been increased by as much as 50 per cent. Many fighting squadrons have been increased to 12 machines, and the average strength of naval air squadrons has been raised from four to six machines.

It is estimated that the number of front line planes in Great Britain will shortly be raised to 1,650, while the number of naval planes will be doubled and brought up to 440.

**SELETAR STRENGTH**  
To what degree the Overseas commands are benefiting by this new method of organisation is not divulged. The nominal strength of the two torpedo-bomber squadrons at Seletar is nine machines each, and that of the two flying-boat squadrons five machines each.

The personnel at Seletar, totaling more than 700 men, suggest, however, that the nominal strength of the squadrons could be expanded in an emergency.

Now squadrons which are to be added to the Far East Command are likely to be either of the flying-boat or heavy torpedo-bomber class, equipped for reconnaissance and operations against a hostile fleet of warships.

The development of flying-boat anchorages and landing grounds in Borneo is being watched with particular interest in view of their strategic command of the sea approaches to Singapore, and the present vulnerability of the Miri oilfields.

**THE KING AND QUEEN**  
TO SEE THE GRAND NATIONAL

London, Jan. 18. The King and Queen, accompanied by Queen Mary, the Princess Royal and Lord Harewood, drove from Sandringham to Newmarket to-day and visited the Jockey Club and inspected race horses, which are stabled at Egerton House. It is understood Their Majesties hope to see the Grand National at Aintree on March 19.

The King and Queen will visit the British Industries Fair at Olympia twice, on February 16 and 18.—British Wireless.

**Coronation Stamps**  
HONGKONG WILL BE INCLUDED

London, Jan. 18. Arrangements have been approved by the King for a special Coronation issue of stamps, to consist of three denominations, in one common design, in each of the Colonial Dependencies. Similar arrangements also being made for Newfoundland. The issues will be on sale from December 12 to 31. It is not anticipated that the new permanent Colonial issues will be ready before the end of the year.

The stamps will be of the same shape and size as the Silver Jubilee issue and will be printed in single colours by the recess process. The design of the stamps includes a portrait of both the King and Queen in a setting of Coronation emblems, including crown, orb, sword of state and sceptre. The date of the Coronation is inscribed at the top of the design, and the issuing territory appears at the base, with duty labels in the lower corners.—British Wireless.

**ENGLISH CHANNEL GALE**

London, Jan. 18. During to-day's gale in the English Channel, heavy seas which pounded coast defence works and promenades of pleasure resorts drove many vessels to shelter. The train ferry cargo service between Dover and Wexford was cancelled.—British Wireless.

## ROMANCE SOON ENDS



£70,000 a year John "Caliban" Barrymore, with his nineteen-year-old bride, Elaine Barrie, whom he made his fourth bride. But the romance is off, and Elaine has now instituted proceedings for divorce.

## WITH THE HEAD-HUNTERS IN FORMOSA

### IT IS FATAL TO RUN Fleeing Enemy Followed By Poisoned Dart

WHAT is the correct procedure to be adopted when one is making a leisurely walking tour in the mountains of Formosa, and happens to come across a head-hunter coming in the opposite direction, and seemingly all set for looting off the first head which comes into view?

A way out of this awkward predicament was suggested by Professor Clarence Griffin when he lectured on the Aborigines of Formosa before members of the Royal Asiatic Society.

Professor Griffin said that in a situation like this it would be fatal to run. The head-hunter would then fetch out his blow-pipe and send after his fleeing enemy a poisonous dart. It would be equally foolish to move forward.

The only thing to be done was to stoop and pick a bluebell off the ground, and then to move towards the head-hunter in a friendly manner. He would then be pacified, as this served as a gesture of friendship.

Formosa, said Professor Griffin, in addition to a population of 5,000,000 descendants from the Chinese, had 150,000 aborigines who inhabit the mountains. The western part of the island descended to paddy-fields, and the mountains were situated on the east coast.

Eight distinct dying nations had chosen the island of Formosa as their last resting place, and their remnants were still to be found among the aborigines of the mountains.

**JAPANESE LAW**  
Head-hunting among these tribes had now been practically stopped by Japanese law, but it was a custom that was very hard to wipe out altogether as it had been in practice for centuries.

Four of the "nations" represented among the aborigines still practised the custom. At the tender age of 17, youths from these tribes were compelled to go forth and bring back the head of an enemy, unless they wished to be branded as cowards.

On his return from such an expedition, the youth was welcomed home by his whole tribe, and if the expedition had been successful he was branded with two marks under the chin to show that he was a man.

**PUT TO DEATH**  
If, however, he was so cowardly as to bring back the head of a woman, he himself was put to death by the members of his tribe.

In spite of this somewhat barbarous custom, these aborigines were a very fine people, possessing a high code of morals. They were never known to steal.

Japan, in the opinion of Professor Griffin, would stand more chance of wiping out the practice of head-hunting if she were to go about it in a more peaceable manner.

## HE PEERS BEYOND THE STARS

The first man to peer beyond the stellar system into the vast unknown spaces of the universe and look upon its inhabitants—the nebulae—is in London.

He is Dr. Edwin Hubble, premier astronomer of America, and his "eye" is the great 100-inch reflector at Mount Wilson Observatory, California, biggest telescope in the world.

He described to me how a "sample" of outer space has been surveyed as thoroughly as a plot of building ground.

This mere sample contained 100,000,000 nebulae—a nebula is a stellar system like our own system of the Milky Way—and was 1,000,000,000 "light years" in diameter. A light year can be calculated from the fact that in one second light travels 186,000 miles.

**STILL BIGGER "EYE"**  
An even larger telescope, a 200in. reflector, is to be set up in the next five years for the Californian Institute of Technology.

At present it is rotating night and day on a specially-made grinding machine in a specially-built house in which the temperature can be controlled to balance exactly between summer and winter.

Bit by bit two tons of glass are being ground off the 30-ton mass. Then day and night for months it will be polished with beeswax and rouge. This new "eye" will penetrate about twice as far into space as any other telescope.

## RADIO BROADCAST

A Friendly Chat With Local Listeners  
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Radio Programme Broadcast by Z. H. W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 k.c.s.), 31.49 metres (9.52 megacycles).

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.  
7 p.m. A Light Orchestra Concert.

Spring Song (Mendelssohn); Jealousy—Tango Tzigane (Jacob Gade); Ich liebe dich—Waltz (Waldteufel); Fairy Tale (Heikens, arr. Foulkes); The Trailing Arbutus (Friedman); The Skaters—Waltz (Gungl); Petersburg Sleigh-Ride Party (Ellenberg); Chopiniana—Polpourri (arr. Silbermann); "The Quaker Girl"—Come to the Ball (Hoss and Monckton).

7.30 Closing Local Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market Report.

7.35 Dance Music.  
8 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.05 Popular Marches.  
Liberty Bell (Souza); Hiawatha (Morel); Semper Fidelis March (Souza, arr. Hewitt); Steadfast and True (Teike, arr. Biddood).

8.15 p.m. From the Studio. A Recital by Prue Lewis (Contralto) and Helen Lockhart (Contralto).

1. Contralto Solo—"Aria"—Pia, Signor... 2. Violin Solos—"Sotto in G Major"—Allegretto Tranquillo, Allegro Vivace... 3. Contralto Solo—Marie... Robert Franz, Obstinata... 4. Fentonallies; 4. Violin Solo—Spanish Dance—"Granados"; 5. Contralto Solos—Cocou... 6. Orzara, Sea-Moods... 7. Cantata.

8.45 "Kamunde"—Overture (Schubert). Played by the Halle Orchestra. Conducted by Sir Hamilton Harty.

8.55 London—News and Announcements.

9.15 From the Studio. A Jazz Piano Recital by Doreen Ma.

1. Yeah Man; 2. Until the Real Thing comes along; 3. Dark Eyes; 4. Medley; 5. What a girl, what a night, what a moon! 6. Never gonna dance.

9.35 "Gazing" (Benatzky), played by Joe Hyton and his Orchestra.

9.40 From the Studio. "A Friendly Chat with our Listeners."

9.50 Three Songs by the Boswell Sisters.

"Gold Diggers of 1935"—Lullaby of Broadway; "Follow the Fleet"—I'm putting all my eggs in one basket. Let yourself go.

10 p.m. London—Big Ben. A Talk: "World Affairs" by H. V. Hodson.

10.15 London—Irish Traditional Songs and Fiddling (Recorded).

10.25 A Variety Programme.  
Piano Solo—Nimble Fingering Gentleman... Billy Mayerl; Vocal: "Thar's gold in dem thar hills... The Hill Billies; Organ Solo—"The King Steps Out"—Medley... Reginald Foort; Vocal—George Formby Medley with my Darling, This is the kiss of Romance... Lucienne Boyer; Instrumental—Gipsy Fantasy, Gipsy Drinking Song... Rode and his Tziganes; Vocal—Hypocrite, A Little Rendezvous in Honolulu... Turner Layton.

11 p.m. Close Down.

## DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

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12.15 p.m. The B.B.C. Empire Orchestra. Musical Interlude.

8.55 p.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 9.15 p.m.

9.15 p.m. London v. Derby. A commentary on the snooker match.

9.35 p.m. Dance Music.

Transmission 1  
(G.S.B., G.S.O., G.S.J.)  
4 p.m. Big Ben, Lindum v. Davis. A commentary on the snooker match.

4.22 p.m. The B.B.C. Theatre Organ.  
4.45 p.m. "Was There?" The History of the Brethren (Southern Nigeria).

5 p.m. A Recital by the Hyman Trio.  
5.40 p.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 5.45 p.m.

Transmission 2  
(G.S.B., G.S.O., G.S.J.)  
7 p.m. Big Ben, Lindum v. Davis. A commentary on the snooker match.

7.25 p.m. The B.B.C. Empire Orchestra. Musical Interlude.

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9.35 p.m. Dance Music.

Transmission 3  
(G.S.B., G.S.O., G.S.J.)  
10 p.m. Big Ben, "World Affairs." A talk by H. V. Hodson.

10.15 p.m. Irish Traditional Songs and Fiddling.

10.25 p.m. The B.B.C. Theatre Organ. "The Out of the Broom from County Tyrone."

10.45 p.m. "The Sea"—2.  
11 p.m. The Tivoli Municipal Orchestra. 12.20 a.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 12.45 a.m.

12.50 a.m. Dance Music.

**NALDERA LEAVES**  
London, Jan. 18. The P. and O. liner Naldera, delayed on her voyage to the Far East for the past few days, sailed this afternoon.—Reuter.

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## HEROIN TRAFFIC

### HEAVY SENTENCES AT SESSIONS

Described by counsel as a man of funny ideas, Wong Ngau, aged 62, unemployed, was charged before the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, at the Criminal Sessions this morning with unlawful possession of 270 ounces of pink paste containing heroin and 6,614 heroin pills at 34 Upper Lascar Row on December 19.

Mr. M. J. Abbott prosecuted, and the following jury was empanelled: Messrs. L. H. Dopson (foreman), Cheng Sau-tsung, Chau Hui-leung, Chen Kin-cho, Ho Lu-nam, Lu Hung-wait and L. C. de Lima.

Asked if he had any objection to the jury, accused repeatedly said the pills were not his.

"It's not the pills, it's the jury," said His Lordship amidst laughter.

Mr. Abbott said that on December 19 about 9.30 a.m. Senior Revenue Officer A. W. Grimmit, together with Mr. H. A. Taylor, Assistant Superintendent of the Imports and Exports Department, and a party went to the third floor of 34 Upper Lascar Row, and knocked for admittance, and on receiving no reply, Mr. Grimmit put his hand round the edge of the door to allow one of his men to squeeze in.

On the premises were accused, an elderly woman, Lo Ng who had already pleaded guilty to the charge, and another woman not concerned with the case.

The floor was used as a heroin pill factory, and was actually in full blast at the time of the raid. The hands of accused were examined and found to be heavily coated with pink paste. The articles mentioned in the charge were found on the premises as well as a red piece of paper which contained a formula for the manufacture of the pills.

When formally charged, accused said the woman Lo Ng introduced him to work there, and denied that

he knew the pills were dangerous drug.

**"FUNNY IDEAS"**  
At the Police Court, he made a lengthy statement saying that he touched the paste just out of curiosity. On being cross-examined, he stated the house belonged to a friend of his, and added that the reason why he took off his clothing, although it was a cold day, was because it was his habit of doing so when visiting a friend. At the end of his evidence, he admitted he was lying.

"Apparently he is a man of funny ideas," commented Mr. Abbott. After Mr. Grimmit had given evidence of the raid, Mr. Taylor testified that the pink paste found on accused's hands contained caffeine, an ingredient of heroin pills.

From the dock, accused denied that the pills were his. He said he went to the premises to pay a visit to his friend.

The jury found him guilty, and passing sentence of three and a half years' hard labour, His Lordship said he had so often expressed his determination to stop this type of offence that accused must have come to know of it.

Lo Ng, 48, woman, who had pleaded guilty to the charge, received the same punishment.

It is announced that Miss Catherine Beatrice Pegg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pegg, will marry Mr. Francis Joseph Soden at St. Joseph's Church on Friday, February 5, at 3.30 p.m. Following the ceremony, a reception is to take place at 8, The Peak.

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# LAST NIGHT'S REMARKABLE BADMINTON MATCH

## St. Andrew's, Down 4-5, Should Have Won Easily

### GAMES LITERALLY THROWN AWAY University Players Make Brilliant Recoveries

(By "Veritas")

Some remarkable badminton was seen at St. Andrew's Church Hall last evening when University "B" upset general predictions by beating St. Andrew's "A" five games to four.

Twice the Saints had the points in their pockets and they should have won by at least 6-3. But outstanding recoveries were made in two games by K. L. Hui and T. F. Yang, while in the deciding encounter, S. K. Lim and A. K. Phang beat S. A. Gray and F. A. Broadbridge after the home pair had secured a lead at 18-17.

The most extraordinary contest of the evening was that between Hui and Yang and Gray and Broadbridge. The latter playing fast and accurate badminton led 12-6, then 20-10, but from that stage failed to score another point. Four times they had both hands in on service, but could not obtain the one point required for the game, and after the University pair had levelled up to "set" the game, they secured the three points off the reel. In other words they scored 13 aces in succession.

The same players repeated the performance against Wong and Madar. The St. Andrew's couple led 19-10, but were pulled back and made to "set" the game. They managed to add two more aces after the visitors had reached game point, but that was the finish.

With Funder and Kew winning all three games, the teams were level at four-all when the last match was put into court. Gray and Broadbridge started shakily against Lim and Phang and were trailing 11-17 at one stage. Then they recovered briskly and actually took the lead 18-17. But having lost the service they could not sustain the pressure and the Varsity pair went to their points on the second hand.

The University players gave a splendid show of fighting badminton but St. Andrew's should never have lost. This is the third match this season St. Andrew's have lost against the run of play, though in each case they had themselves to blame.

Owing to several of their players suffering injuries from week-end hockey, Recreio "B" could not turn out a team against University "A" and conceded the points.

A. J. Bennett and David Kwok (St. John's) beat Jago and Yang Chen (Continued on Page 9.)

slightest impression on Recreio "A" and were routed by eight games to one.

Lim and Kwok obtained the Recreation Club's consolation point, beating the home team's third pair. But throughout the Portuguese were right on top and won at will. Only one second division match was played, St. John's visiting Sailors and Soldiers Home and winning all nine sets.

The detailed scores and revised league tables are appended.

#### "A" DIVISION

##### ST. ANDREW'S "A" v. UNIVERSITY "B"

Played at St. Andrew's Church Hall, the visitors winning by five games to four.

E. F. Fincher and H. Kew (St. Andrew's) beat K. L. Hui and T. F. Yang 21-12; beat K. L. Hui and T. F. Yang 21-8; beat S. K. Lim and A. K. Phang 21-7.

S. A. Gray and F. A. Broadbridge (St. Andrew's) lost to Hui and Yang 20-23; lost to Lim and Phang 18-21.

F. V. Wong and T. A. Madar (St. Andrew's) lost to Hui and Yang 14-21; lost to Lim and Phang 21-15.

#### RECREIO "A" v. C.R.C.

At King's Park last night, Recreio "A" beat the Chinese Recreation Club by 8 games to 1 in the "A" Division: (Recreio "A") beat C. Y. Yang and H. W. Ho 21-4; beat F. H. Kwok and P. C. Leung 21-5; beat F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang 21-6.

L. A. Carvalho and A. M. Silva (Recreio "A") beat Yung and Ho 21-7; beat Choy and Leung 21-10; beat Kwok and Liang 24-23.

E. da Sousa and H. A. Alves (Recreio "A") beat Yung and Ho 21-12; beat Choy and Leung 21-10; lost to Kwok and Liang 21-24.

#### "B" DIVISION

##### S. AND S. HOME v. ST. JOHN'S

At Wanchai last night, St. John's beat the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home by 9 games to nil in the "B" Division: A. J. Bennett and David Kwok (St. John's) beat Jago and Yang Chen (Continued on Page 9.)

#### WHY REYNOLDSTOWN WILL NOT RUN IN THE GRAND NATIONAL

London, Jan. 4. Major Furlong, the owner of Reynoldstown, is not entering him for the Grand National this year. His reasons are, firstly, that there is such a thing as taking the pitcher to the well too often; and secondly, that the altered conditions are unfair and the best horses may easily be beaten by selling players in receipt of a lot of weight.

After the decision Reynoldstown won the Mappercly 'chase at Leicester—his first race since last year's Grand National.—Reuter.

### BADMINTON ENTRIES IMPROVE

#### Seventeen In Singles

(By "Veritas")

Further entries for the Colony badminton championships were received yesterday, the totals now being: Men's Singles, seventeen; Men's Doubles, fifteen; Mixed Doubles four.

Thus it is still necessary for one more entry in the men's doubles and four in the mixed doubles to be made before those two events can be staged.

Latest additions to the men's doubles are K. S. Liew and K. L. Yung and C. H. Soon and P. E. Tan both of the University. University now have three pairs entered, while Recreio have four representatives.

L. A. Carvalho of Recreio has dropped out of the singles and has decided instead to compete in the mixed doubles, his partner being Miss C. Silva.

The complete list of entries to date follows:

#### MEN'S SINGLES

F. H. Kwok, M. A. Oliveira, S. A. Gray, F. Koh, J. J. Ong, E. de Sousa, P. H. Wong, C. E. Ching, A. L. Fisher, A. M. Silva, H. Kew, H. A. Alves, P. C. Leung, T. C. Lee, P. K. Hui, S. W. Liang and N. A. E. Mackay. (17)

#### MEN'S DOUBLES

F. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang, M. A. Oliveira and J. J. Remedios, T. W. Wong and T. Y. Cheong, J. J. Ong and F. Koh, P. H. Wong and C. E. Ching, S. A. Gray and F. A. Broadbridge, A. M. Silva and L. A. Carvalho, E. F. Fincher and H. Kew, H. A. Alves and E. de Sousa, A. L. Xavier and H. A. Barros, T. C. Lee and P. K. Hui, A. J. Bennett and D. Kwok, N. A. E. Mackay and H. Chan, K. S. Liew and K. L. Yung, C. H. Soon and P. E. Tan (15).

#### MIXED DOUBLES

M. A. Oliveira and Miss M. Silva, S. A. Gray and Miss A. Mackenzie, D. Kwok and Miss McCaw, L. A. Carvalho and Miss C. Silva (4).

### WASEDA WERE GALLANT LOSERS AND GREAT SPORTSMEN



### THEIR RECORD OF HOCKEY TOUR

(By "The Pillar")

The Waseda University hockey team may not have blazed a trail of glorious victories during their stay in Hongkong, but the visit, which comes to an end to-night, has been instructive, and has indicated that hockey among the Japanese students is on the upward grade.

Their final appearance in Hongkong will be at a ceremonial dinner this evening at the Peninsula Hotel. This will start at eight o'clock and immediately afterwards the players will go on board ready to depart early on Wednesday morning.

Though the team has not been so successful as anticipated, the Japanese have gained good accounts of themselves in most matches. Only against the Navy to whom they lost 7-1 did they fall very much below Colony standard. And this was not so much due to the Navy's normal superiority as to the fact that the Japanese were tired after their two previous strenuous games.

They have taken all their beatings with a grin, and they have demonstrated sportsmanship in the truest sense of that word. Special mention is deserving of their splendid display against the Civilians on Sunday following an intensive programme during the previous seven days, and of their worthy performance against Macao yesterday.

Their captain, T. Yamada, told me they have all thoroughly enjoyed their stay in Hongkong and are looking forward to a return visit, the date for which is at the present somewhat indefinite.



Yonemaru (top left), Waseda's smart centre-forward, Sugawara, the brilliant outside right and Olympic trial player, and below Masamune, the visitors' leading goal-scorer.

Here is the complete record of their matches played in the South:

Combined Services	Waseda
Colony	3 Waseda 2
Navy	7 Waseda 1
Army	4 Waseda 1
Aeronauts	3 Waseda 1
University	0 Waseda 2
Civilians	5 Waseda 2
Macao	5 Waseda 2

Total—played 8, lost 7, won 1, goals for 13, against 31.

### Waseda's Plucky Display Against Macao

#### DEFEATED 5-3, BUT IMPRESS

(By Our Own Correspondent)

Macao, Jan. 18. Despite the threatening state of the weather, unusually large crowds of spectators turned out this afternoon to witness the eagerly-awaited hockey match between the Waseda University, captained by T. Yamada, and the Macao Hockey Club, captained by Laertes de Costa. Great was the excitement at the end of the game when the scores stood at five goals to three in favour of Macao.

Play was extremely fast from the outset and exchanges even. The home forwards pressed the attack vigorously and almost scored within the first five minutes.

Taking advantage of a pass, Airosa, right inside, opened the score for Macao from close range. Waseda equalised three minutes later when Shimoda, right wing, netted following a general melee close to their opponents' goal mouth.

As play proceeded, the visitors' defence was seen to advantage. Oshihara at right back being particularly prominent in destroying several intensive raids. However, before the interval, the opposing forwards broke through and Macao regained the lead when Airosa, registered his second goal after a quick pass by Lammert, left back.

Upon resumption Macao combined tactical distribution with fine individual stickwork, but erratic shooting at crucial moments, plus the opposition's counter manoeuvres prevented a score during the first fifteen minutes.

Eventually the local team managed to break through, and a third goal

was scored by Alex Airosa, centre half. Despite the reverse, Waseda remained undismayed, and a neat bout of passing by the forwards was rewarded with a goal by Shimoda five minutes later.

Macao's position was further consolidated shortly after when another two goals were scored in quick succession by P. Angelo centre forward, and A. Angelo, left wing.

Before the close of play, a brilliant goal was registered by Kawai, right inside, for the Waseda. It was directed from a sharp angle and the smashing shot landed high into the net.

For Waseda, Shimoda at centre half was extremely impressive. Oshihara, custodian, did full credit to his side stopping certain goals. Oshihara's destructive play at right back was pretty to watch. Though very speedy, the forwards lacked understanding and missed opportunities.

Macao's play was well worth watching but the team was definitely not at its best. On the whole, the forwards were more aggressive than (Continued on Page 9.)

Clubhouse Chatter

By "Veritas"

### Shanghai Women's Hockey Interport Difficulties

#### CAN HONGKONG HELP? A SUGGESTION

THERE appears to be a considerable amount of dithering existent in the realm of Shanghai hockey. The question is whether the northerners can send a women's hockey Interport team to Hongkong next month. If it was purely a matter of getting together a team there would be no problem. Money is the factor creating doubts as to whether or not there will be a women's Interport this season. There is, apparently, a number of contributing factors to this position. The Shanghai Ladies Hockey Association, newly constituted and therefore by no means richly endowed with dollars and cents, suffered a big disappointment financially over Hongkong's visit last year. Bad weather kept down the attendances at the various matches while the profit anticipated from the Interport dinner could not be realised as circumstances caused the abandonment of that function. Thus, at the end of the Interport, Shanghai found themselves out of pocket, rather than enjoying the fruits of the event which should have been a satisfactory lining for a comfortable bank balance.

other hand this gesture may be interpreted to justify the claim that money, or no money, Shanghai will send a team.

#### Can Colony Help?

ONE wonders whether in a problem of this nature, Hongkong could not make some helpful gesture. Could it not, for example, offer ten per cent. of gate receipts from the matches to be played here during Chinese New Year, if it was found that Shanghai cannot realise its \$1,000 appeal? I presume there will be admission charges to the Interport and other matches, for this seems to be the only method by which the Hongkong Ladies Hockey Association can recoup any of its outlay on the Colony's visit to Shanghai a year ago. That being so there seems to be no very valid reason why Hongkong, as a gesture of good will, and in an effort to keep alive the highly desirable contests between the two ports, should not offer to share in proportion, the monies received from the Interport series here next month. It would not be a question of making Shanghai's visit here conditional upon such an arrangement, but simply an unsolicited and sporting offer to assist the northerners should they be unable to raise all the funds necessary to make the trip. I don't doubt there are several reasonable objections to such a procedure, and this is merely a suggestion thrown out with the idea that it may help to alleviate a contretemps which threatens the immediate continuation of the women's hockey Interport series between Shanghai and Hongkong.

#### Opinions Divided

ACCORDING to the Shanghai Times, hockey circles up there have divided into two sharply defined camps. One insists that the Interport will take place next month whether or not money is forthcoming to finance the players' travelling expenses; the other is just as emphatic that unless the appeal—for \$1,000 is raised, it will be impossible to send a team down here. I rather think the second alternative is the correct estimation of the Shanghai Ladies Hockey Association's intention. The appeal for \$1,000 is still being fervently launched, and it is encouraging to observe that it has met with some response, \$168 having, up to Saturday last, been subscribed by various sports bodies. But there will have to be a more concentrated drive for the money if it is to be raised in time. Only three weeks is left between now and the Interport and a much more quickened response to the appeal is therefore necessary. Shanghai are apparently confident that the money will be forthcoming inasmuch that a team has been chosen to make the trip. On the

#### Vines And Perry

THE telephone call I received yesterday afternoon did not surprise me. I had been more or less waiting for it. I knew that when it did come it would be rather amusing, and the amusement would largely be at my expense. So unlike Celdric Belgrave, who found the telephone so distracting that he vanished to the other end of the world to write a book on Eschology, and the eminent men of letters who have found it necessary to de-subscribe themselves from the telephone service because of its terrifying influence upon their lives, I waited with a sense of keen anticipation for the call, which, when it did come gleefully enquired "And now what are you going to write about Perry and Vines?" As a matter of fact I didn't intend to write anything, because for one thing it is possible to have too much of a good thing, and again there are certain obvious features about the Perry-Vines tennis engagements which scarcely call for comment. The most obvious is that with two such well-matched players alternate victories (Continued on Page 9.)

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### Lynch Fights Montana This Evening

London, Jan. 18. The championship bout between Lynch, the British flyweight champion and Small Montana, flyweight champion of the world takes place on Tuesday night, starting at 9.45 p.m. G.M.T. (5.45 a.m. Hongkong time on Wednesday).

The fight is being staged at Wembley Stadium and is scheduled to go 15 rounds.—United Press.

#### LIKELY WEIGHTS

London, Jan. 18. The boxers weigh in at 2 p.m. G.M.T. on Tuesday, when it is expected that Montana will tip the scales at 110 lbs and Lynch will turn them at 112 lbs.

The Wembley Stadium's capacity accommodation for 9,000 spectators is not sold out, due to the Englishmen's preference for heavyweight fights. However, the sale of tickets has been large for a flyweight contest.

On the same programme, Jack Doyle, husband of the well known film star, Judith Allen, will attempt a comeback against the second rate, Al Robinson.—United Press.

#### ENGLISH BOXER WINS

Paris, Jan. 18. Peter Kane of England this evening obtained a decision over Valentin Angelman, the French International Boxing Association flyweight champion in a twelve round non-title bout. It is expected that Angelman will challenge the winner of the Lynch-Montana fight.—United Press.



# HONGKONG FOOTBALLERS ARE SUSPENDED

## Rifleman Gets Two Months Sentence

Two footballers who were sent off the field in league matches on January 10 appeared before the Emergency Committee last evening. Both cases were found to be proved and suspensions were imposed.

In the case of Rfl. (53) Wilson, of the Royal Ulster Rifles, who was dismissed from the field during the second division game between the Rifles and South China, he was suspended for two months as from January 10.

C. A. Figuerido, of Club de Recreo, who was sent off in the third division game against Chinese Police on the same day, was suspended for one month as from January 10.

### CHANGE OF VENUE

It is officially announced that tomorrow's Junior Shield match between the Royal Engineers and Police, originally scheduled for Chatham Road, will now be played on the Kowloon Football Club ground, at 4 o'clock.



The England captain, G. O. Allen, gives the impression of flying through the air as he bowls to McCabe in the third Test match against Australia at Melbourne. The other batsman is Fingleton.

## Waseda's Plucky Display

(Continued from Page 8.)

The opposition, Rosario, right back, gave a superb display of defence tactics and on one occasion actually robbed an opposing forward of the ball as he was about to shoot. Airoso, centre half, held the opposition at bay and cleared in fine style.

Teams consisted of: Oshihara, Kawamura, Kawashima, Yamada, Tomiwa, Shugawara, Kawai, Kojima, Masamura, Shimada.

Visitors: Almada: R. Rosario, Lammer, J. Nolasco, A. Airoso, Costa, F. Nolasco, Albert Airoso, P. Angelo, H. Rosario, A. Angelo.

### VISITORS FETED

The visit of the Waseda team to Macao included a tour of the Colony and an inspection of the Macao Lyceum.

The visitors were the guests of the Macao Hockey Club at dinner in the Hotel Riviera this evening. Toasting the health of the guests, Lieut. F. O'Costa, the "father" of Macao Hockey, expressed his pleasure at the meeting and the opportunity of the team scored the greater number of goals. As a souvenir of the occasion he took the opportunity of presenting on behalf of his team a hockey stick, autographed by each member of the Club who had participated in the day's play.

Replying appropriately, S. Kajima, coach of the visiting team, said that it was a great pleasure to see the fine sporting spirit existing in the Macao Hockey Club and he hoped that an opportunity would be afforded for the teams to meet again next year. He sincerely trusted Macao would be represented in the 1940 Olympiad to be held in Japan. The dinner was followed by a series of Japanese folk dances by the members of the Waseda team.

## BILLIARDS TOURNEY Championships Started Last Night

The Open Billiards Championships of the Colony, organised by the Hongkong Amateur Billiards Association, commenced last night when two matches were played, one in the Senior Division and one in the Junior.

In the Senior match, which was at the Engineers' Institute, G. M. P. Remedios defeated P. A. Yvanovich by 500 points to 413. The game, which was witnessed by a fairly

### Our Daily Golf Hint

Crouching is not graceful, and what is more to the point, it is not effective.

—B. Darwin.

## LAST NIGHT'S BADMINTON

(Continued from Page 8.)

21-10; beat Edwards and Sprague 21-7; beat Glover and Dyer 21-1. C. A. Smith and Norman Smith (St. John's) beat Jago and Yang Chen 21-10; beat Edwards and Sprague 21-6; beat Glover and Dyer 21-3. Roland Kuo and S. Tremlett (St. John's) beat Jago and Yang Chen 21-13; beat Edwards and Sprague 21-6; beat Glover and Dyer 21-3.

### LEAGUE TABLE

"A" Division				
	P.	W.	D.	L.
Recreo "A"	6	0	0	0
Recreo "B"	6	0	0	0
University "A"	3	0	0	0
St. Andrew's	3	0	0	0
C.R.C.	3	0	0	0
Y.M.C.A.	2	2	0	0
University "B"	3	0	0	0
Free Lancers	7	0	0	0
"B" Division				
	P.	W.	D.	L.
King's College	6	0	0	0
Kowloon Tong	7	0	0	0
St. John's	6	0	0	0
V.R.C.	5	0	0	0
S. & S. Home	7	0	0	0
St. Andrew's	7	0	0	0
Kowloon Tong	6	0	0	0
Chinese Y.M.C.A. having been transferred to the "A" Division, their record has been expunged.				

large number of spectators, was closely contested, both players registering some good breaks. Remedios started rather shakily and at one time was 80 points behind his opponent, but he staged a splendid recovery and, aided by Yvanovich's lapse, not only reduced the deficit but eventually gained the lead. During this period, he registered breaks of 52, 49, 41, and half a dozen in the thirties. Yvanovich scored breaks of 33, 31, and several twenties.

T. F. Jordan defeated J. A. da Luz by 300 points to 198 in the Junior game, which was played at the South China A.A. Jordan led all the way and his highest break was 36.

## LEADING PERFORMERS IN BADMINTON LEAGUE Individual Records: The Complete Lists

Below will be found the up-to-date records of various couples competing in the Hongkong Badminton League. These will be revised weekly in future and will appear every Saturday in the Telegraph.

### MEN'S DOUBLES

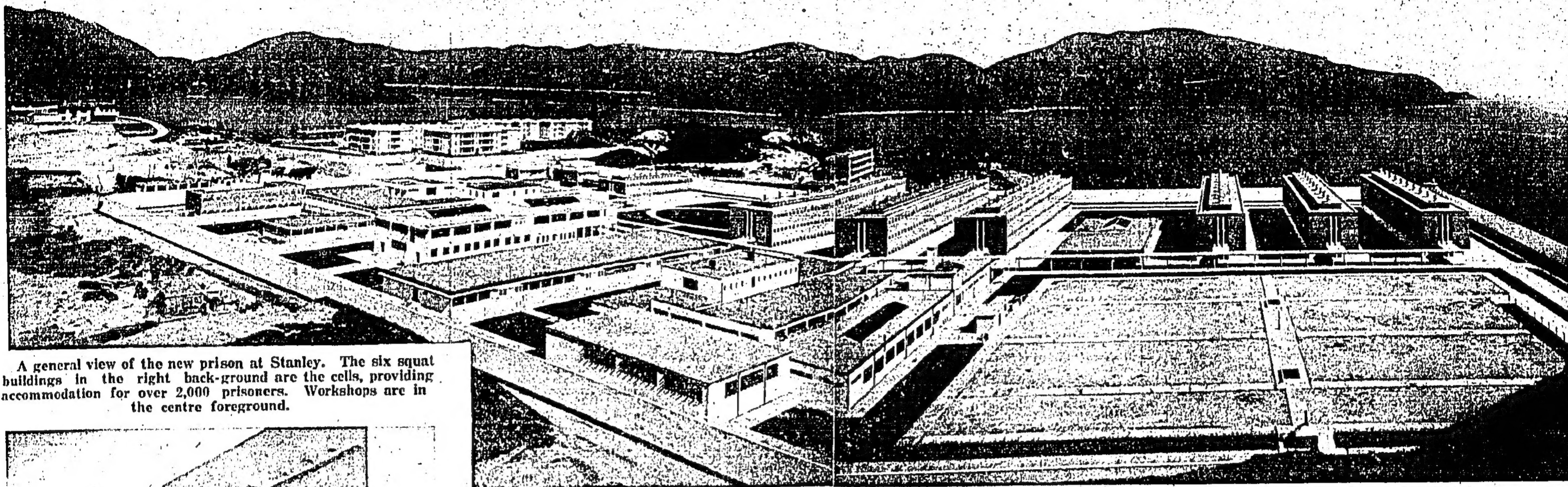
"A" Division		P.	W.	L.
J. J. Remedios and M. A. Oliveira (Recreo)	18	10	0	0
P. de Sousa and H. A. Alves (Recreo)	18	10	0	0
E. L. H. Shute and W. Shute (Free Lancers)	18	14	4	0
P. H. Kwok and S. W. Liang (C.R.C.)	18	10	0	0
W. C. Choy and P. C. Leung (C.R.C.)	18	10	0	0
S. A. Gray and A. E. P. Guest (St. Andrew's)	18	10	0	0
L. A. Silva and E. A. R. Alves (Recreo)	12	6	0	0
P. A. F. Fletcher and A. S. Biss (St. Andrew's)	21	16	5	0
H. A. Noronha and C. C. Pereira (Recreo)	12	6	0	0
P. H. Wong and T. W. Wong (Chinese Y.M.C.A.)	6	6	0	0
T. C. Chuang and T. Y. Ong (Chinese Y.M.C.A.)	4	6	0	0
F. H. Tan and P. K. Hui (University)	6	6	0	0
A. E. Xavier and H. A. Barros (Recreo)	9	5	4	0
L. A. Carvalho and A. M. Silva (Recreo)	6	5	1	0
E. L. H. Shute and W. Shute (Free Lancers)	3	3	0	0
P. C. Lee and P. K. Chan (University)	3	3	0	0
T. C. Lee and K. L. Tong (University)	3	3	0	0
H. A. Noronha and A. E. Xavier (Recreo)	6	2	0	0
A. E. Xavier and F. A. Noronha (Recreo)	3	2	0	0
L. A. Carvalho and E. A. R. Alves (Recreo)	0	8	0	0
C. H. Soon and K. L. Lee (University)	0	6	0	0
W. C. Choy and H. W. Ho (C.R.C.)	3	2	0	0
J. Ribeiro and E. A. R. Alves (Recreo)	0	3	0	0
J. L. Anderson and K. Shute (Free Lancers)	3	1	0	0
A. L. F. Fletcher and A. S. Biss (St. Andrew's)	3	1	0	0
P. C. Lee and T. F. Lo (C.R.C.)	3	0	0	0
E. L. H. Shute and W. Shute (Free Lancers)	3	0	0	0
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W. Shute and K. Shute (Free Lancers)	3	0	0	0
J. L. Anderson and K. Shute (Free Lancers)	6	0	0	0
A. L. F. Fletcher and A. S. Biss (St. Andrew's)	6	0	0	0
P. C. Lee and T. F. Lo (C.R.C.)	3	0	0	0
E. L. H. Shute and W. Shute (Free Lancers)	3	0	0	0
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P. C. Lee and T. F. Lo (C.R.C.)	3	0	0	0
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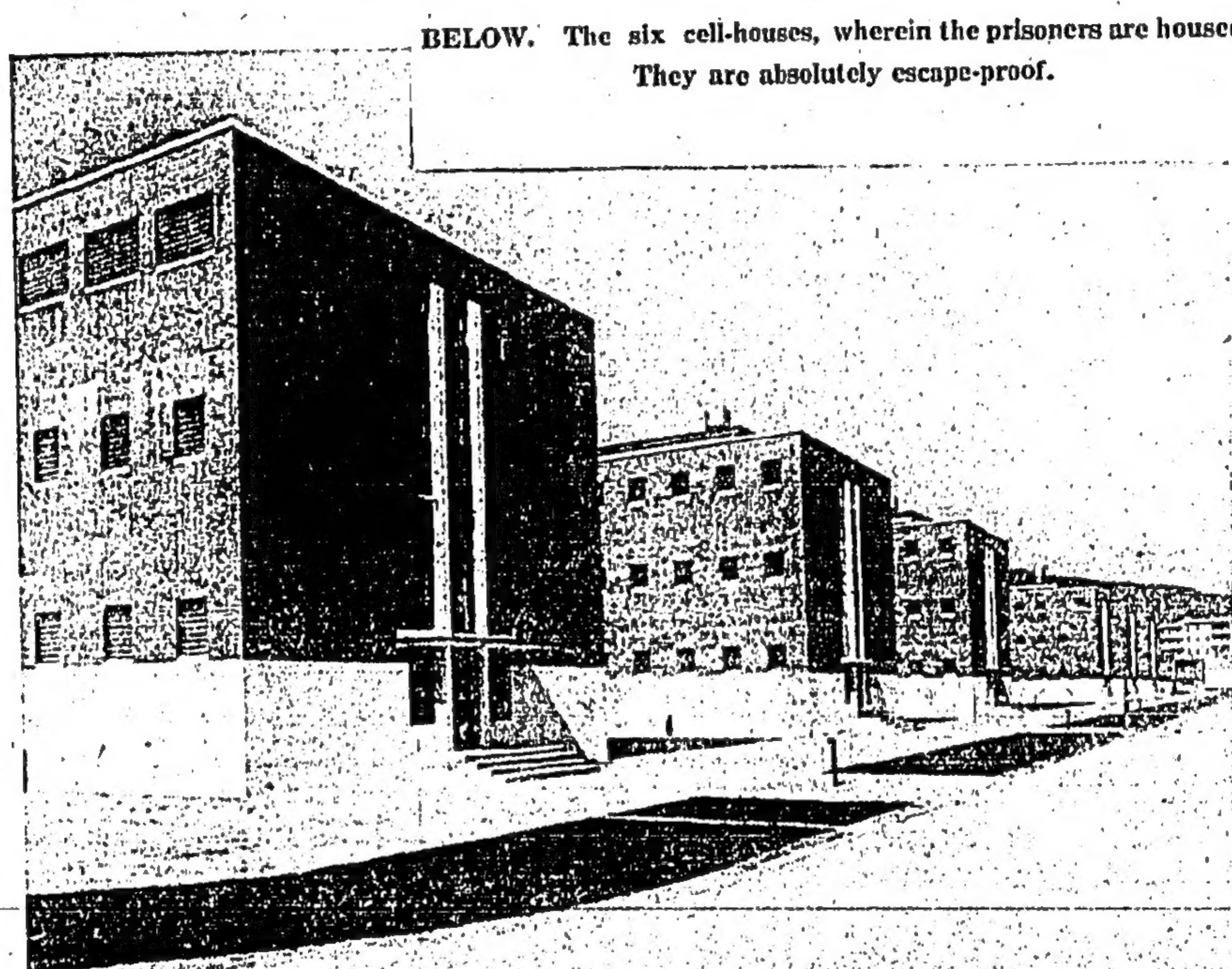
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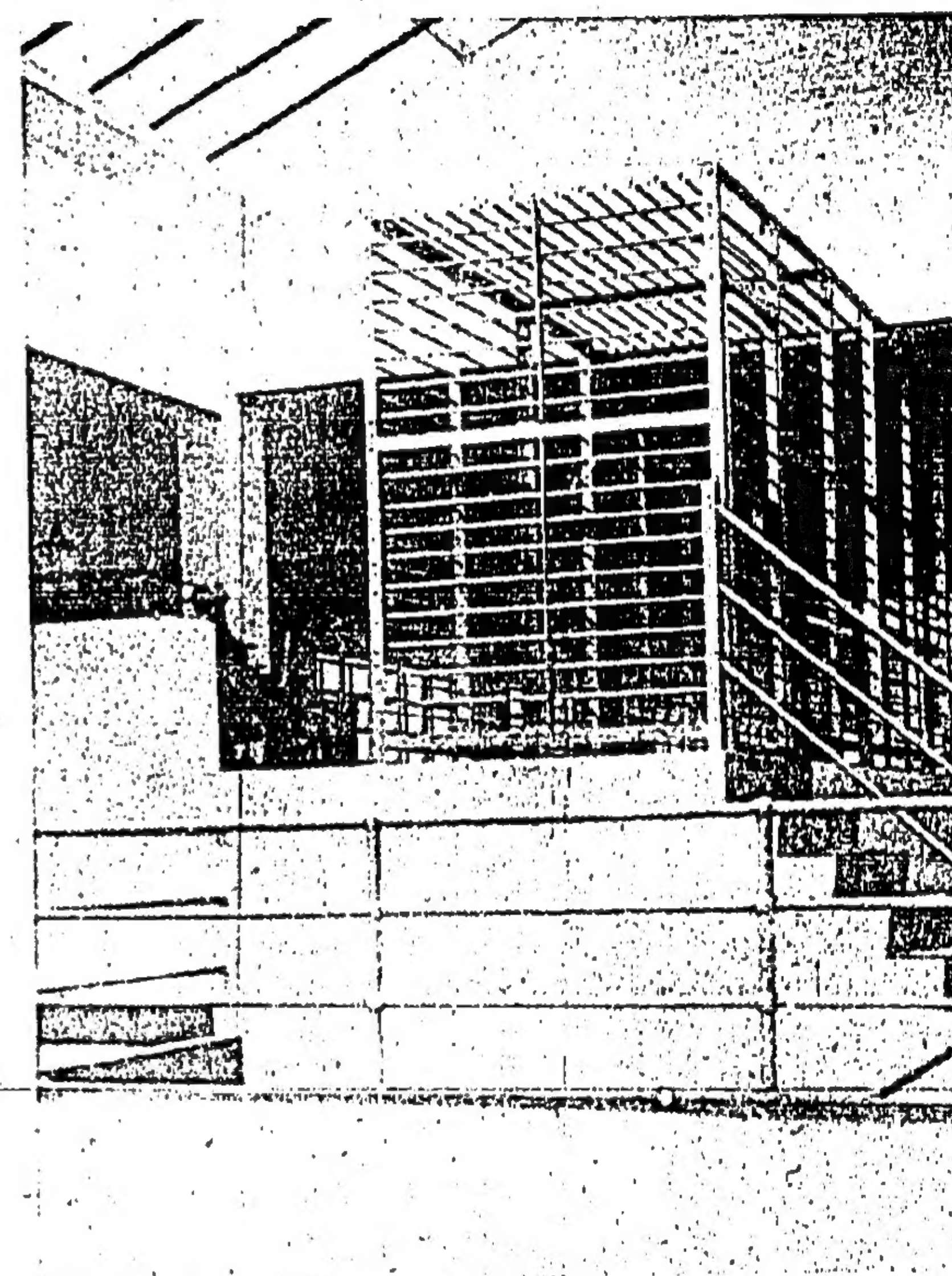
A general view of the new prison at Stanley. The six squat buildings in the right back-ground are the cells, providing accommodation for over 2,000 prisoners. Workshops are in the centre foreground.



Once locked in their cells, prisoners are entirely cut off from the outside. A tiny peep-hole in the door is the only means of communication.

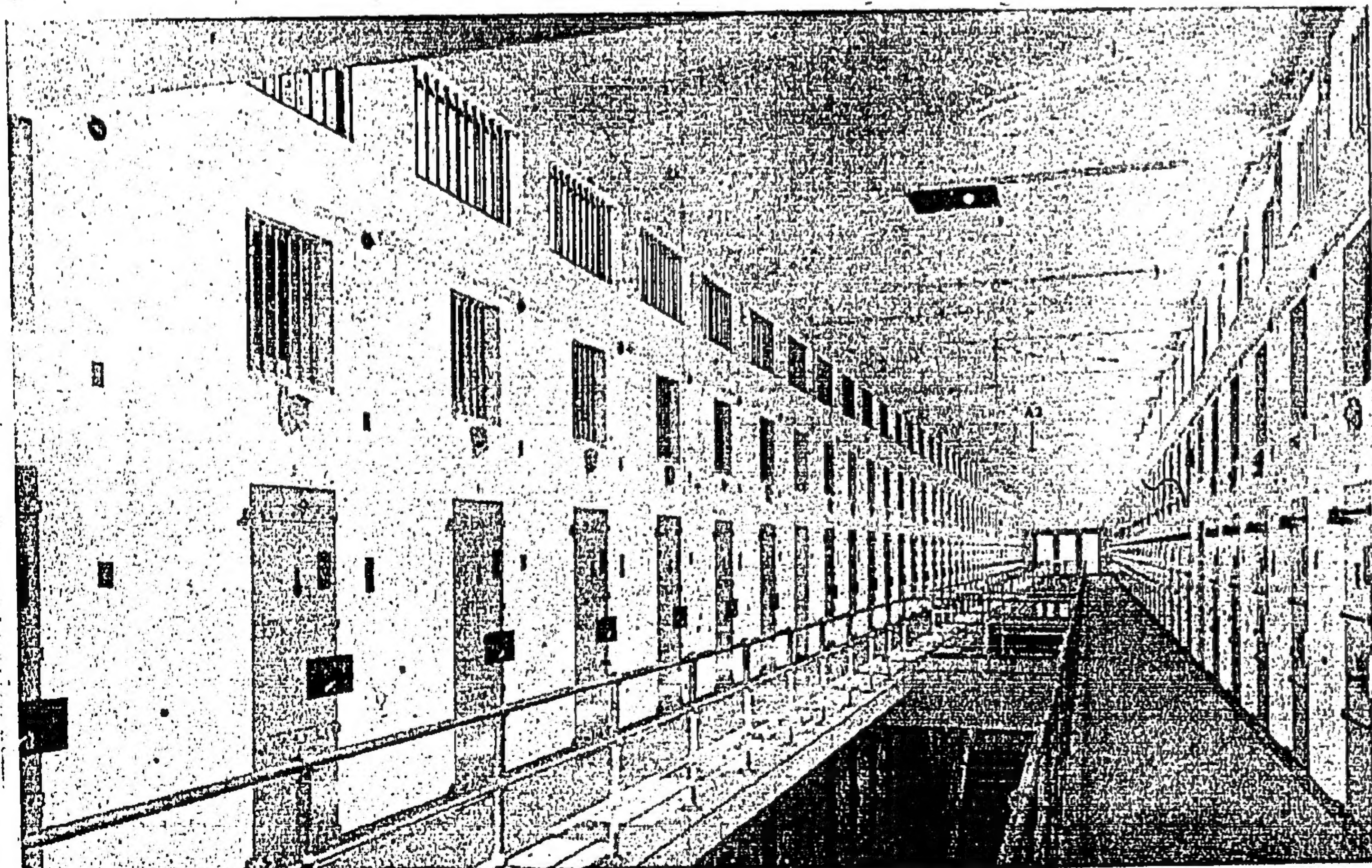


BELOW. The six cell-houses, wherein the prisoners are housed. They are absolutely escape-proof.

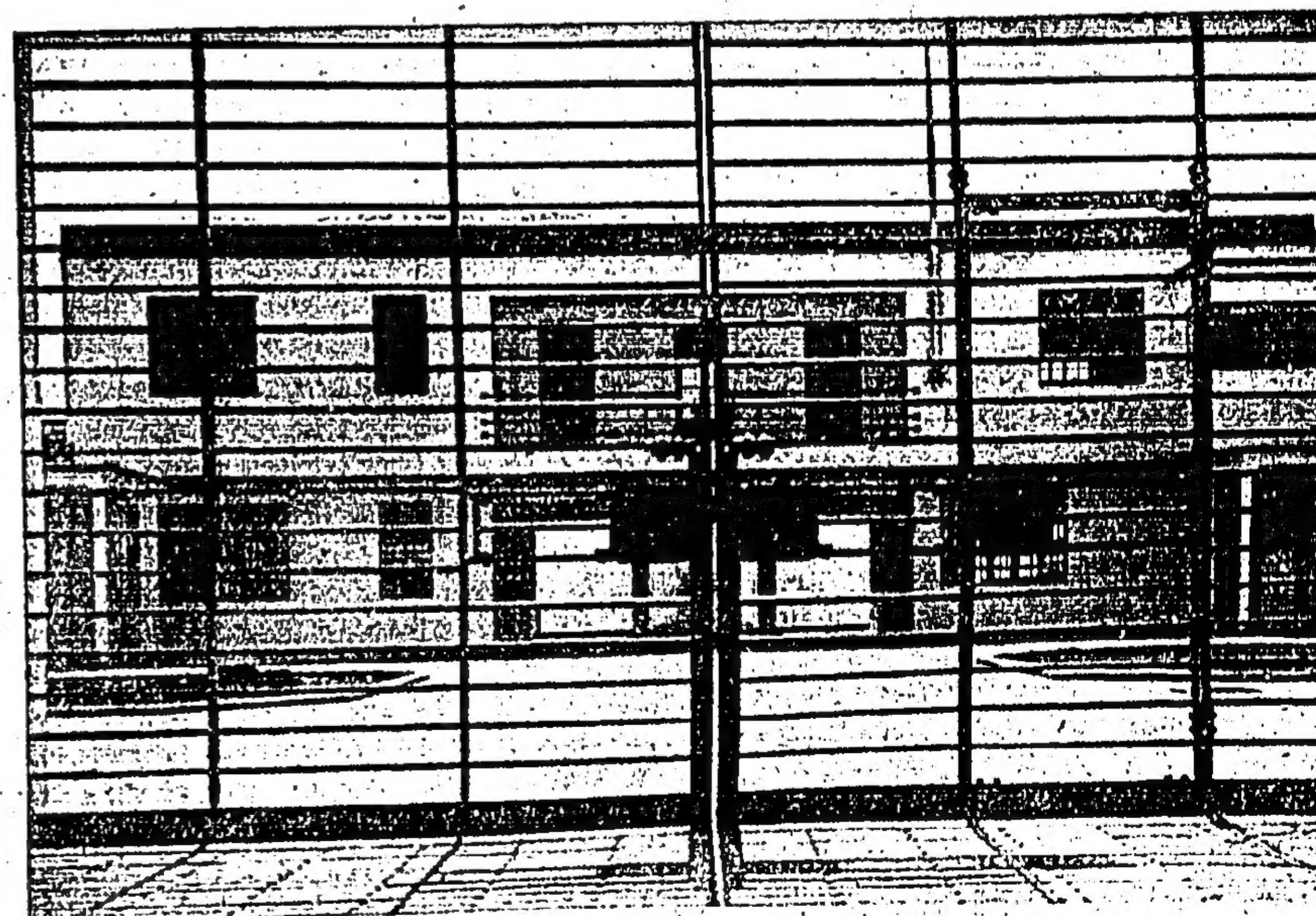


Warders will constantly patrol inside this cage, one of many in the prison's workshops.

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MEE CHEUNG  
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One of the tiers in A Cell-block. Each tier has accommodation for 100 prisoners and there are three tiers in each block. Warders constantly patrol up and down the gangway.



A view every Hongkong convict will long remember—the entrance to the prison proper showing the administrative block in the background.

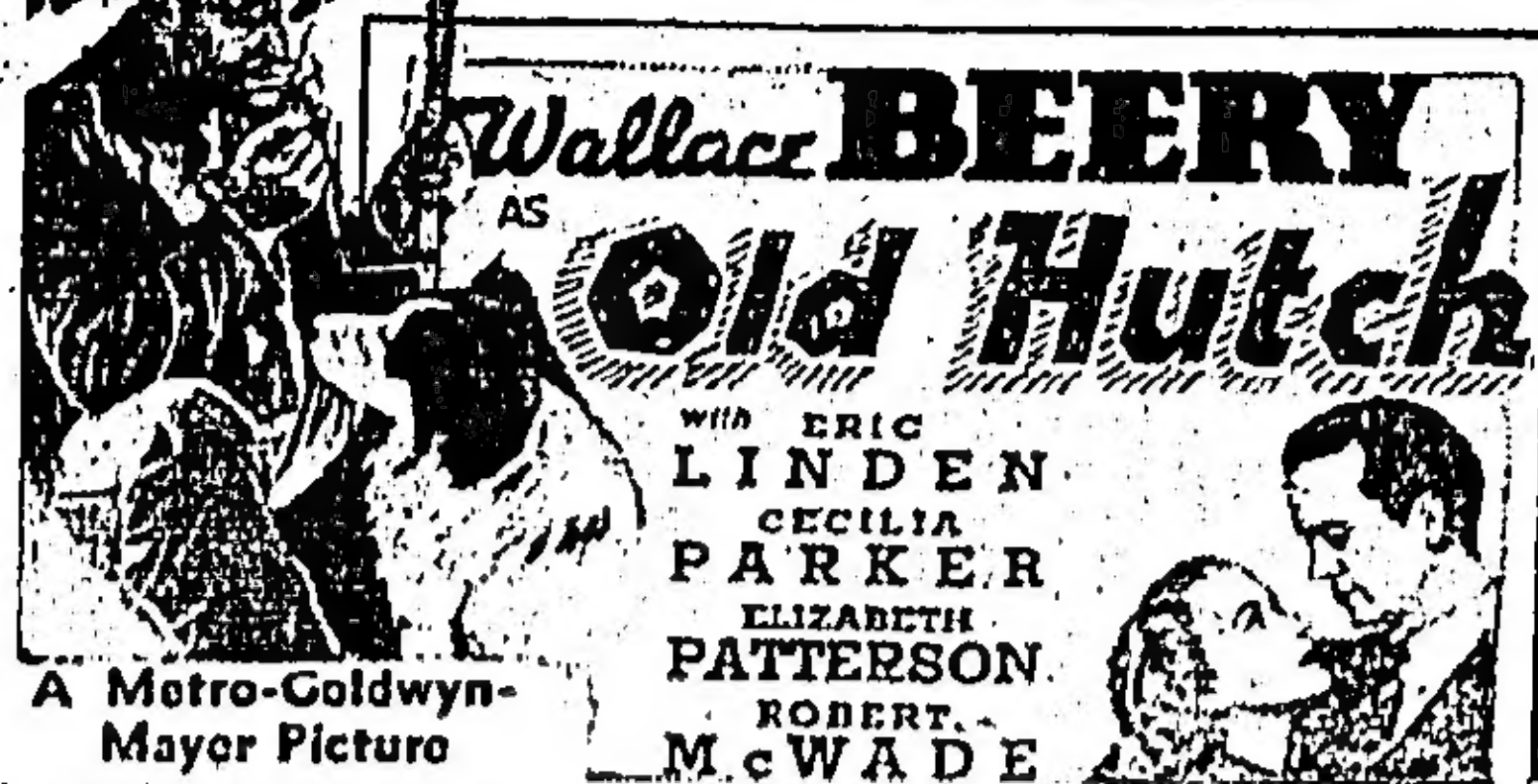
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## FORTY CONVICTS AT LARGE

AFTER PRISON RIOT  
IN CANADA

HUNTED INTO  
HILLS

Guelph, Jan. 18.  
Following a riot at the Ontario  
Reformatory, 150 prisoners have  
escaped and caused property damage  
estimated at £40,000. Practically all  
of the 700 men at the prison were  
involved.

Trouble began when a number of  
men refused to eat their supper,  
and developed quickly. Some of the  
prisoners, wielding pieces of smashed  
iron bedsteads for weapons, forced  
officials into the administrative build-  
ing and for a time completely con-  
trolled the prison.

In a sort of frenzy they ran about  
smashing windows, fusing lights and  
causing whatever destruction they were  
able. Others, apparently, opened the  
prison gates and walked out into  
the surrounding hills. Most of them  
have been recaptured, but there are  
still nearly 40 at liberty, being  
hunted by armed officers over a wide  
area.

The destruction in the prison  
mainly affected the chapel, the  
hospital and the kitchen.

Police eventually succeeded in re-  
storing order at the goal.—Reuter.

## NO CONSCRIPTION IN PEACE TIME

London, Jan. 18.  
The War Secretary, Mr. Duff  
Cooper, speaking on recruiting in  
London to-day, said he hoped shortly  
to make an important announcement  
concerning conditions of service in  
the regular army.

Recruiting for the territorial army  
had improved, but for the regular  
army it was not so good, and he  
hoped announcement would have the  
result of bringing a satisfactory in-  
crease.

He denied reports attributing to  
him the suggestion of conscription in  
peace time.

"Conscription would not solve our  
problem. We do not want a vast  
army for home service but a small,  
highly trained, specialised army for  
peace time service overseas."

In the event of war there was little  
doubt but that conscription would  
come and come quickly, but not even  
the most patient citizen of the most  
authoritarian and totalitarian state  
would accept conscription for service  
overseas in peace time.—British  
Wireless.

## JAPAN'S CURB ON EXCHANGE

CAUSES CONCERN IN  
BUSINESS CIRCLES

Washington, Jan. 18.  
Members of the Administration  
here are expressing concern regarding  
the Japanese exchange control, which  
was announced in Tokyo on January  
8.

They say that they are being  
bombarded with complaints from  
businessmen to the effect that they  
are unable to obtain foreign exchange.

Officials also say that they are  
finding difficulty in ascertaining the  
exact basis of the exchange control.

One official said that the Japanese  
action is contributing to the uncer-  
tainty throughout the world.—  
United Press.

## TEST TEAM

AUSTRALIA MAKES  
THREE CHANGES

Melbourne, Jan. 18.  
Australia has made three changes  
for the fourth Test match against  
England which starts at Adelaide on  
January 20.

E. L. McCormick, A. G. Chipper-  
field and Ross Gregory, the last  
named being one of Victoria's lead-  
ing batsmen, displace W. A. Ward,  
M. W. Slevens and L. Darling.

The team, which is again captained  
by Don Bradman, is as follows:—

D. G. Bradman, W. A. Brown, J.  
H. Fingleton, S. J. McCabe, E. L.  
McCormick, W. J. O'Reilly, L. Flet-  
wood-Smith, K. Rigg, A. G. Chipper-  
field, W. A. Oldfield and Ross Gre-  
gory.—Reuter.

## 40-HOUR WEEK ON RAILWAYS

WILL REABSORB 40,000  
FRENCH WORKERS

Paris, Jan. 18.  
M. Lebrun, the President, to-  
day signed the Bill applying the  
40 hour week to railways, which will  
be enforced on May 21.

It is expected that the measure will  
result in the reabsorbing of 60,000  
unemployed men.—Reuter.

## FOURTH CRASH VICTIM

Los Angeles, Jan. 18.  
Mr. Earl Spencer, fourth of the  
victims of the "Salt Lake City" air-  
line crash, died to-day.—United Press.

## PROMOTED TO CEYLON



A recent photograph of His Excellency the Governor and Lady Caldecott, who will be leaving Hongkong when the former takes up the position of Governor of Ceylon, to which he has been promoted.

## Thousands To See Roosevelt Inauguration

Washington, Jan. 18.

In depressing and rainy weather the first thousand of  
the 300,000 who are expected at Wednesday's inaugura-  
tion ceremonies, arrived here to-day. They are  
cheerfully paying the swollen prices for accommodation  
at leading hotels, where there is a minimum charge of  
\$10 a night for a single room.

Arrangements have been made to accommodate  
50,000 spectators in the great Capital Plaza, from where  
they can watch President F. D. Roosevelt take the oath  
and deliver his second inaugural address. In his speech  
he is expected to specify his objectives for the next four  
years. His words will be broadcast to all the world.

The President's reviewing stand,  
outside the White House, is a replica  
of Andrew Jackson's homestead. In  
front is a glass-enclosed look-out  
box, from where President Roosevelt  
will take the salute as thousands of  
troops, marines and naval ratings  
march past. Their parade will take  
three full hours.—Reuter.

## HINTS AT REFORMS

Washington, Jan. 18.  
Following conference at the White  
House, Senator Sherman, Minton  
quoted President Roosevelt as saying  
to-day that he would soon call for  
discussion of legislation affecting the  
Supreme Court of America, which,  
by its interpretation of the Con-  
stitution, so greatly hampered the  
New Deal programme.

Senator Minton said he was not at  
liberty at present to discuss the  
exact nature of the legislation. He  
suggested that it should provide for  
at least a two-thirds concurrence of  
opinion before a judgment could be  
handed down. He carefully stressed,  
however, that he had not discussed  
this suggestion with the President.

Meanwhile, the Supreme Court  
went into recess, apparently still  
deadlocked over the controversial  
social legislation and without taking  
action on any of the pending major  
cases.—United Press.

## WIDER POWERS

Washington, Jan. 18.  
The House of Representatives  
Coinage Committee has favourably  
reported on the Administration's  
Bill extending the President's powers  
to devalue the dollar and continue  
the operation of the Stabilisation  
Fund until June 30, 1939. Action by  
the House is expected during the  
current week.—United Press.

## CHECKS JEWISH INFLUX

S. AFRICA FEARS  
INVASION  
FROM SOUTH  
EUROPE

Capetown, Jan. 18.  
After the Prime Minister, General  
James Hertzog, had warned legisla-  
tors that the unchecked increase in  
Jewish immigration to South Africa  
was likely to cause serious ill-feel-  
ing, and even bloodshed, the Aliens'  
Bill was given second reading, 83 to  
28, to-day.

The measure was prompted to  
some extent by the prevailing bitter-  
ness over the increasing influx of  
Jews, but mainly because of warn-  
ings from South African ministers  
abroad, who indicate the Union is  
endangered by a flood of undesirable  
elements from south east European  
sections, in consequence of the un-  
certain conditions there.—Reuter.

The Aliens' Bill is merely protec-  
tive in character and is not aimed at  
Jews alone, and therefore does not  
imply their persecution. It merely  
safeguards the Union of South Africa  
from the curse of a high percentage  
of illiterate immigrants pouring into  
its labour market.

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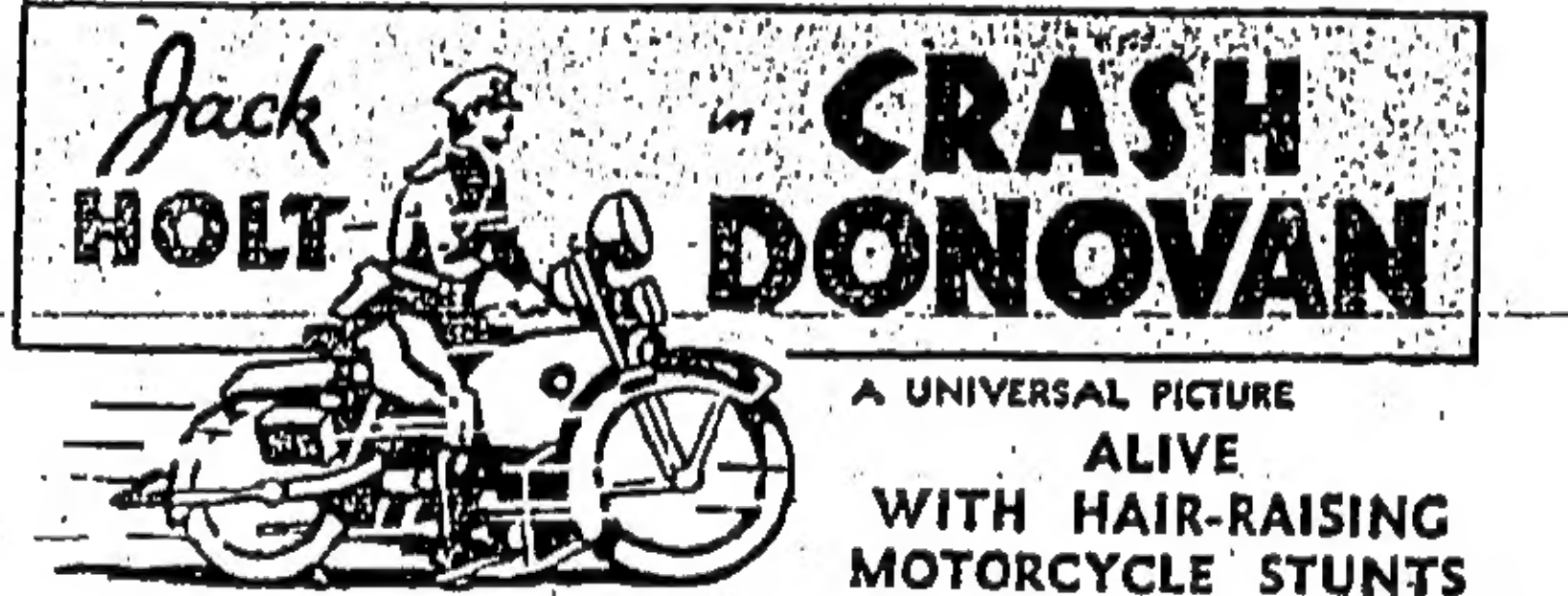
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